

## ALFONSO ASKS LIBERAL TO FORM SPAIN'S NEW CABINET

Sanchez Guerra, Ex-Premier, Has Insisted on Convocation of Convention to Write New Constitution.

### IMPRISONED DURING DE RIVERA REGIME

King's Action in Selecting Republican Is a Great Concession as He Would Have No Power Over the Proposed Session.

For the Associated Press.  
MADRID, Feb. 16.—King Alfonso today asked Jose Antonio Sanchez Guerra, leader of the movement for a constitutional convention to determine whether Spain shall remain a monarchy or become a republic, to form a cabinet to replace that of Gen. Janso Berenguer, which resigned Saturday. Sanchez Guerra accepted the King's invitation and on leaving the palace tonight after his conference with Alfonso, said he expected to announce the personnel of his cabinet by tomorrow noon.

The King's action constituted a great concession. Sanchez Guerra was imprisoned for rebellion during the Primo de Rivera regime, had refused to participate in a cabinet which was not based on the convocation of a convention to write a new Spanish Constitution.

Sanchez Guerra, who has made himself leader of a party known as the "Constitutionalists," was the first of the political leaders to call at the palace this morning arriving at about 10 a. m. and immediately closing himself with the King.

Uncertain of Prospects.

Sanchez Guerra first visited Berenguer at the Ministry of War, and then went to see Melquideas Alvarez, leader of the Reformist group which believes that King Alfonso "should take a vacation from the throne."

"I am not sure that I shall succeed in forming a government," he said, as he left the Reformist leader's office. "No one can say what will be the result of my efforts. And until I have completed them no one is entitled to say what will be the program of my government."

"The King asked me if I would not create a Cabinet and attempt to bring him to Spain, in view of the present unrest. For this reason I accepted, and for Spain I shall see if I am able to form the government which the country needs."

No Sign of Trouble.

Madrid was quiet, with the street crowded with the pre-Lenten holiday throngs. No more porticos than usual were visible.

A convention to write a new constitution would exercise power above even that of the King. The King would have no power to add.

It once was convened, and in view of growing left wing and republican sentiment in Spain a curtailment of the King's present broad powers might be expected.

The new Premier-designate has been in the public eye in Spain since the early part of the century. He headed a Liberal Cabinet as early as 1915. After it fell he became Minister of Interior and later President of the Chamber of Deputies. He was Premier again in 1922, and in the following year was expelled from Spain for his enmity to the Primo de Rivera regime.

Arrived King Alfonso.

In public writings and utterances thereafter he charged King Alfonso with having violated the Spanish Constitution in permitting the Primo de Rivera dictatorship, and therefore to be ruling illegally. He was arrested at Valencia on Jan. 20, 1929, after an abortive revolution movement there against the dictatorship, which failed when votes counted on to back the rebellion.

He was incarcerated aboard a warship in Valencia harbor, and in October, 1930, was tried for sedition before a court-martial. The trial was secret, and the court's findings were kept secret, but it was reported he was found not guilty. The dictatorship refused to accept the findings and continued to hold him.

Late in October, 1929, Sanchez Guerra was released pending a new trial. Shortly thereafter the dictatorship fell and Gen. Berenguer,

## HOUSE VOTES \$45,000,000 TO BUY POSTOFFICE SITES, ENDING LEASING SCANDAL

Accepts Amendment Providing Price Shall Be Fixed by Commissioners Instead of Postmaster-General.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The House of Representatives took action today to end the Post office leasing scandal, when it voted to appropriate \$45,000,000 for the purchase of land and buildings to supplant those now under lease for postal purposes. The bill provides that not more than \$10,000,000 can be spent annually in such purchases.

The House also accepted an amendment proposed by Congressman Maag (Rep.), Minnesota, providing that the maximum purchase price in each instance shall be fixed by three commissioners appointed by the United States Courts of the district in which the property is situated, thus taking that power out of the hands of the Postmaster-General.

Maas, who exposed the scandalous circumstances which attended the leasing of the commercial Post office station in St. Paul, Minn., told the House that the appropriation bill in its original form was unacceptable.

"It would permit the Postmaster-General to purchase these properties without resorting to any estimate except his own," the St. Paul Congressman declared. "In the past arbitrary appraisals have been made, increasing the original estimates as much as 300 per cent. If you do not take the purchasing power out of the hands of the Postmaster-General, you will have all over again the leasing scandals repeated all over again."

Maas alluded to the financing operations in connection with the St. Paul post office, remarking that persons who purchased bonds floated on the basis of the rental being paid by the Government now stand to get 55 cents on the dollar.

Congressman Cochran (Dem.), St. Louis, told of receiving a complaint from a constituent who purchased bonds based on the St. Paul lease and also on a post office lease at Dallas, Tex. When Cochran forwarded the complaint to the Post office Department he received a reply stating that the bonds were "not a Government obligation." Although the language in which they were advertised had given the purchaser the national convention, they will be detained."

Sheppard Opens the Ball.

Senator Sheppard (Dem.), Texas, co-author of the eighteenth amendment, started the Democratic row when he read a statement calling on Shoush to support his claim that already enough states were against prohibition to insure action at the next convention against the dry law.

Senator Tydings of Maryland carried the anti-prohibition cause in a long wrangle with Senators Black and Berlin of Alabama. Morrison was in the attack on the wet leaders of the party.

Morrison denied that Raskob had "any influence or is a leader in our party. As soon as we nominate another presidential candidate he will disappear as suddenly as he entered."

Black took Tydings to task for discussing prohibition "when there are only two weeks left to this session and the problem of our people is bread—not beer."

"Does the Senator really think," he pursued, "that with the serious problem confronting this nation today that it is proper now to be consuming our time here with a discussion of dandelion and rhubarb fine?"

At his apartment on Fifth avenue there was little more than the usual Sunday routine. But there were stacks of telegrams and cables from hundreds of admirers all over the world and there were flowers on every available spot.

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## HOW GEN. BUTLER REBUKED HIMSELF AND AVOIDED TRIAL

Baltimore Sun Gives Inside Story of State Department's 'Out' in Embarrassing Situation.

### SECRETARY STIMSON POUNDS ON HIS DESK

But Acquiesces in Letting Talkative Marine Officer Virtually Write Own Reprimand.

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 16.—That Major-General Smedley D. Butler practically wrote his own reprimand is asserted in a Washington dispatch to the Baltimore Sun, which purports to give the inside history of the negotiations leading up to the abandonment of the court-martial of the Marine commander for remarks he had made about Premier Mussolini.

"Gen. Butler unquestionably wanted the court-martial dropped as much as the administration, but did not intimate this after the negotiations got under way," says the dispatch. "However, before Ambassador Martino of Italy suggested sending him a friendly note, Secretary Stimson and Maj. Gen. Leonard, Butler's counsel, pointed out to the Secretary the international complications the court-martial would cause. Stimson, however, is reported to have pounded on his desk and exclaimed that Butler was a soldier and would have to take a soldier's medicine."

"Immediately after Ambassador Martino's visit, Feb. 5, a State Department emissary attempted to get in touch with Maj. Leonard, who was then in Philadelphia, but returned the same evening.

General Rejected Note.

"The emissary proposed that the court-martial be called off and that instead Gen. Butler be reprimanded, detached from his command, and placed on the waiting list awaiting orders. Leonard flatly rejected this.

"The State Department then came back with the reminder that a court-martial was becoming highly embarrassing to the international relations of the United States. Leonard replied he fully realized this, and that he and Butler were not adverse to dropping the court-martial, but not on those terms."

"The emissary pointed out that the situation was very embarrassing to John W. Garrett, American Ambassador to Rome, whose position might be seriously jeopardized by the fact that the brother-in-law of his wife (Maj. Leonard) was defending the man who had attacked Mussolini. Maj. Leonard replied he was extremely fond of his brother-in-law, but he would have to stand on his own feet.

Accedes to Reprimand.

"Later, the State Department representative returned. This time he was ready to propose that instead of a court-martial, Gen. Butler be reprimanded, and be detached from his command, but be placed on the list awaiting orders. The navy considered sending him to Guam. Again Maj. Leonard flatly rejected his proposal.

"These negotiations had taken up most of Friday. On Saturday the State Department came back with a proposal that Gen. Butler write an apology to Mussolini of the Italian Government. These were both rejected.

"The State Department then asked what his terms were and got the reply that Gen. Butler should get off with a mild reprimand and that he, Leonard, with Butler, should write the reprimand.

"The State Department emissary reported back to headquarters and Saturday evening came back with a general acceptance of Maj. Leonard's proposal, but with a request that in order to give the administration an 'out', Gen. Butler should write a letter giving some new factor which could be used as an excuse for dropping the court-martial."

### BOTH HOUSES APPROVE SAN FRANCISCO BAY SPAN

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The House today passed a Senate bill to authorize construction of the largest bridge in the world, across the bay between San Francisco and Oakland, Calif.

The measure now goes back to the Senate for agreement to amendments. It would permit California to build a \$75,000,000 bridge between the bay cities by way of Goat Island.

### SKYSCRAPER ORIGINATOR DIES

By the Associated Press.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 16.—Roy S. Buffington, 83-year-old architect, who claimed to have originated the skyscraper idea, was found dead last night, the victim of a heart attack.

Plans for many of the State's buildings came from Buffington's drawing board and he also designed the capitol of North Dakota, which was recently destroyed by fire, and West Virginia, besides Minnesota's old Capitol and many of the older buildings at the University of Minnesota. Buffington, who lived with his daughter, was born in Cincinnati.

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### NOTED ACTOR DEAD



## LOUIS MANN, ACTOR DIES IN NEW YORK AFTER OPERATIONS

Comedian Had Been on the Stage Since Childhood—Role in "Friendly Enemies" Greatest Success.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Louis Mann, veteran actor, who had been ill with cancer in Mount Sinai Hospital since Dec. 16, died last night after two operations had failed to aid him. His wife, Clara Lipman, was with him, as were also Fannie Hurst, the novelist, and Congressman William Sirovich.

Creator of the line, "It is to laugh," Mann was one of the few American actors to win success in both comic and serious parts. He was 65 years old and had appeared on the stage since he was 12. His greatest role, probably in "Friendly Enemies," in which he played with the late Sam Bernard, during 1918. His last Broadway role was in 1927, in "That French Lady." Recently he had appeared in motion pictures.

Debut in San Francisco. Mann made his first appearance on the American stage in 1882. It was at the new State Theater, in San Francisco, and the play was "Snowflake," a German pantomime. He was then three years old. When a youth, he joined the Andrew Jackson company in San Francisco. In 1892 he played with Tommaso Salvini in "Othello."

At the Union Square Theater, New York, on Aug. 20, 1892, he played Page in Oscar Wilde's first play, "Vera, the Nihilist," and subsequently toured the country in "Called Back." He surprised critics by turning to a serious role in "The Man Who Stood Still."

As death drew near, he said, "I have no fear of death, but I have fought as long as I could and I am losing the battle."

Wrote Five Plays.

Mann wrote five plays starring vehicles and also was known to his friends as a painter, musician, actor, writer and a master of seven languages.

He was adept as a wrestler and boxer and had frequent workouts with Jack Dempsey.

"These prospective investors, all wealthy, did not wish to become partners but agreed to participate as stockholders in the Anco Co., whose funds would be lent to the brokerage company. At the date of incorporation, Dec. 27, 1927, the Anco had capital stock of \$700,000 held as follows: Walter R. Mayne, \$390,000; R. E. LaDriere, \$200,000; Elmer C. Adkins, \$200,000; and three named as directors. The first directors were attorneys associated with the firm of Fordyce, Holliday & White, and it is understood that as incorporates they held the stock for others.

On July 25, 1928, the corporation made affidavit to the Secretary of State that all its authorized capital was paid in. This affidavit was signed by Arthur Hilmer, W. C. Fordyce and Andrew W. Johnson as directors. Hilmer and Fordyce were partners in Lorenzo E. Anderson & Co.

An increase of \$210,000 in the authorized capital stock was voted at a stockholders' meeting Oct. 28, 1928, and the directors' affidavit all of it had been subscribed.

Again the authorized capital stock was increased on May 28, 1929, by \$1,000,000, bringing the total to \$2,000,000. It was stated at this time that \$192,000 of the increase had been subscribed. This brought the total subscribed up to \$1,192,000.

How Stock Was Distributed.

The corporation's report to the Secretary of State as of July 31, 1930, listed Arthur Hilmer as president and W. C. Fordyce as secretary-treasurer, and these two and Andrew Johnson as directors.

At a time when the total paid-in capital of the Anco Co. was \$860,000, partner in Lorenzo E. Anderson & Co. held something more than \$9 per cent of the stock, according to a statement by Charles Nagel, attorney for Rand. The stock held by Rand and Andrew Johnson was 8.85 per cent of the total. Nagel said that in subsequent increases of the capital the proportion held by the Anderson partners was increased slightly. The owners of the balance of the stock, about 22 per cent, have not been disclosed.

One of the attorneys concerned in the case said the Anco Co. lent money to the Anderson company under a contract whereby the Anco Co. agreed to stand the capital losses, if any. Another lawyer in the case said the arrangement be-

came effective when the Anderson company had recovered from the veterans' administration so the veterans can borrow additional funds up to 50 per cent at lower rate of interest.

Provided the veterans' administration may make loans out of the \$772,000,000 sinking fund set aside to retire the certificates in 1945 and also from the Government life insurance fund.

It authorizes the necessary ap-

propriation to be made to carry out the effect of the purpose of the bill.

The measure provides that \$4,000,000 certificates held by veterans, with a maturity value of \$3,428,000,000, or averaging a little more than \$100 each.

The loan value under the present law is \$730,000,000, and this bill provides it would be increased to \$1,712,000,000.

Approximately \$225,000,000 has been loaned under existing law.

Proponents hold that, while the Treasury estimates the new legislation would cost \$1,720,000,000, the outlay would range only from \$75,000,000 upward to about \$700,000,000.

About 50 per cent of the veterans are expected to request loans, since about 48 per cent have already made loans under present law.

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## RELATIONSHIP OF ANCO CO. WITH LORENZO E. ANDERSON BROKERAGE FIRM EXPLAINED

Corporation Organized to Help Partners in Latter Concern Finance Purchase of Interest of Founder's Son.

Inquiry into the history and functions of the Anco Investment Co., which has been mentioned repeatedly in connection with the suspension of the brokerage firm of Lorenzo E. Anderson & Co., discloses that it was organized as a convenient device through which an operating capital was lent to the brokerage house.

By this means Frank C. Rand, chairman of the board of the International Shoe Co.; Andrew W. Johnson, vice president of the shoe company, and others were enabled to invest in and participate in the profits of the brokerage company without becoming partners in it.

The late Jackson Johnson, who was a subscriber to the Anco Co., and Andrew Johnson, a son of Jackson Johnson, subscriber

to the Anco Co., and the Anderson Co., would agree to waive all claims as a creditor of the Anderson Co.

Customers' Agreement.

An interesting feature of the case is how the company's trading customers became unsecured creditors, some for large amounts. One of the largest is Rand whose credit balance is approximately \$45,000.

Nagel, Anderson's attorney, said that up to the time of the suspension his client thought his balance was repaid by the firm of Fordyce, Holliday & White, and the Andersons, who were liable for its obligations beyond the amount of stock for which they had been subscribed.

Anco Lent to Brokerage Firm.

When the group of partners headed by Arthur C. Hilmer, acquired control of Lorenzo E. Anderson & Co. in 1927, they needed additional capital to complete the purchase of the interest of Oliver J. Anderson and for operating purposes. They approached Fordyce, Holliday & White, and the Andersons, who were good customers of the company.

These prospective investors, all wealthy, did not wish to become partners but agreed to participate as stockholders in the Anco Co., whose funds would be lent to the brokerage company. At the date of incorporation, Dec. 27, 1927, the Anco had capital stock of \$700,000 held as follows: Walter R. Mayne, \$390,000; R. E. LaDriere, \$200,000; Elmer C. Adkins, \$200,000; and three named as directors. The first directors were attorneys associated with the firm of Fordyce, Holliday & White, and it is understood that as incorporates they held the stock for others.

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Again the authorized capital stock was increased on May 28, 1929, by \$1,000,000, bringing the total to \$2,000,000. It was stated at this time that \$192,000 of the increase had been subscribed. This brought the total subscribed up to \$1,192,000.

How Stock Was Distributed.

The corporation's report to the Secretary of State as of July 31, 1930, listed Arthur Hilmer as president and W. C. Fordyce as secretary-treasurer, and these two and Andrew Johnson as directors.

At a time when the total paid-in capital of the Anco Co. was \$860,000, partner in Lorenzo E. Anderson & Co. held something more than \$9 per cent of the stock, according to a statement by Charles Nagel, attorney for Rand.

The stock held by Rand and Andrew Johnson was 8.85 per cent of the total. Nagel said that in subsequent increases of the capital the proportion held by the Anderson partners was increased slightly. The owners of the balance of the stock, about 22 per cent, have not been disclosed.

One of the attorneys concerned in the case said the Anco Co. lent money to the Anderson company under a contract whereby the Anco Co. agreed to stand the capital losses, if any. Another lawyer in the case said the arrangement be-

came effective when the Anderson company had recovered from the veterans' administration so the veterans can borrow additional funds up to 50 per cent at lower rate of interest.

Provided the veterans' administration may make loans out of the \$772,000,000 sinking fund set aside to retire the certificates in 1945 and also from the Government life insurance fund.

It authorizes the necessary ap-

propriation to be made to carry out the effect of the purpose of the bill.

The measure provides that \$4,000,000 certificates held by veterans, with a maturity value of \$3,428,000,000, or averaging a little more than \$100 each.

The loan value under the present law is \$730,000,000, and this bill provides it would be increased to \$1,712,000,000.

Approximately \$225,000,000 has been loaned under existing law.

Proponents hold that, while the Treasury estimates the new legislation would cost \$1,720,000,000, the outlay would range only from \$75,000,000 upward to about \$700,000,000.

About 50 per cent of the veterans are expected to request loans, since about 48 per cent have already made loans under present law.

Plans for many of the State's buildings came from Buffington's drawing board and he also designed the capitol of North Dakota, which was recently destroyed by fire, and West Virginia, besides Minnesota's old Capitol and many of the older buildings at the University of Minnesota. Buffington, who lived with his daughter, was born in Cincinnati.

Since enactment Saturday of the drought relief, \$20,000,000 compro-

## 400 MEN IN RUSH TO SCENE OF ALBERTA GOLD DISCOVERY

Provincial Police Fear for Lightly Clad Prospectors Should a Gold Wave Occur.

By the Associated Press.

CALGARY, Alta., Feb. 16.—Four hundred treasure-seekers struggled today to stake claims in a new area of Alberta's foothills in which a gold strike was made recently.

Provincial police fear a cold wave may bring serious consequences. Inspector J. O. Scott, commanding officer of the Lethbridge Division of Provincial Police, issued a warning that no man should leave for the diggings unless equipped for a week. Most of the claim seekers, he said, are lightly clothed and carried meager kits. They are forced to camp outdoors or in tents. Nearly 200 prospectors licenses have been issued at Calgary.

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## CAFE ROBBERS GET \$1500 AT GROCERY, TIE UP WATCHMAN

Three Men Slide Down Pipe From Skylight to Enter Moll Store at 5659 Delmar Boulevard.

### TEN OTHER ARMED HOLDUPS REPORTED

\$342 and Two Rings Taken From Cigar Store—Former Convict Captured in Robbery in House.

Combinations were knocked from two safes at the A. Moll Grocery Co., 5659 Delmar Boulevard, early yesterday, by three men who obtained \$1500 after making a prisoner of the watchman, William Ruskau, 1910 Belt Avenue, and tying him in the basement.

The robbers gained entrance by sliding down a pipe from a skylight and hit in the rear of the building until the watchman approached, then overpowering him. Ruskau freed himself after almost an hour and reported to police.

Ten other robberies in which deadly weapons were used were reported to police yesterday and to-day.

An anonymous telephone call to Central District informed police of an unreported holdup at the cigar store of Morris Kanner and Max Bernstein at 907 Pine Street. Investigating, police were told that \$250 had been taken from the store, that Kanner had been robbed of \$75 and a \$150 diamond ring and that \$17 and a \$100 ring had been taken from Bernstein. The cash totaled \$342.

The pardon, effective at once, was granted on the ground that McElliot was convicted for indirectly violating the law and had served Great Falls as a police officer with a good record for 10 years.

McElliot was fined \$100 last December and committed to jail until the fine was paid. He refused to pay it and placed his case before the President. The fine was remitted.

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Imperial Valley Vegetables Hurt.  
By the Associated Press.  
BRAWLEY, Cal., Feb. 16.—Imperial Valley truck gardeners calculated rain damage to the winter lettuce crop at 3000 freight-car loads. Several carloads of carrots and peas and a part of the winter strawberry crop also were ruined by heavy precipitation.



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### FIGHT AGAINST CHAIN STORES

National Chamber of Associated Merchants Is Organized.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Organization of the National Chamber of Associated Merchants to oppose the development of chain stores is

announced by John F. Nugent, former United States Senator from Idaho.

Nugent, who is president, said

the purpose of the organization is

"to fight the battles at close range

of the development of chain stores in

the interest of the trade.

Earlier Letter Ignored.

His letter yesterday followed one

sent a week earlier, in which he

requested Bishop Manning for in-

formation of the grounds existing for the charges which he asserted

Bishop made against him. He

received no reply to this commun-

ication.

The Rev. Mr. White defended

Lindsey in his recent controversy

with the Bishop and has expressed

approval of his own daughter's

marriage with the understanding

that the birth of children would be

delayed.

Letter to Bishop.

In his letter White reminds

Bishop Manning that in his ser-

mon of Dec. 7 the Bishop declared:

"1. That the program of com-

panionate marriage as advocated by

Judge Lindsey 'and others' is not

a marriage but only another name

for a love affair."

"2. That approval of 'such a

union as that' by 'any man among us' for his own daughter would be

equivalent to considering the sev-

enth commandment 'a debatable

question'."

"3. That advocacy of compa-

nionate marriage is, in the words of a

doctor whom you approvingly quot-

ed, 'No more than propaganda for

crass immorality'."

"4. That those who arranged this

invitation i. e., to Judge Lindsey

to address the Churchmen's Asso-

ciation, have something to explain

to the fathers and mothers of our

children."

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3-Piece in Dark Maple. Decorated. Bed, Dresser, Chest	240.00	\$158.00
4-Poster Bed with 3½ Foot Posts and no Footboard	63.00	\$45.00
1-Odd Poster Bed (full size) Pineapple Posts	37.00	\$29.50
Jenny Lind Spool Turned Beds, full or twin	20.00	\$15.75
Reproduction of Combination Chest and Desk	135.00	\$89.00
1 Odd Chest	55.00	\$40.00
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## BAPTIST SCHOOL OF MISSIONS

Third Church Sessions to Open Feb.

25 and Close April 1.

The Third Baptist Church, Grand

and Washington boulevards, will

hold its second annual School of

Missions on six successive Wednes-

day nights beginning Feb. 25 and

closing April 1.

Among the speakers will be Miss

Kathleen Mallory of the Women's

Missionary Union, Feb. 25; the Rev.

Dr. W. H. Bowles, New York, of

the Board of Missionary Co-opera-

tion, March 4; the Rev. Dr. F. King

Singer, New York, of the Foreign

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Rev. Dr. W. Eugene Sallee, Rich-

mond, Va., of the Foreign Mission

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Seven persons were injured in

an automobile collision at Lindell

boulevard and Vandeventer avenue

early yesterday.

The injured, who suffered cuts

and bruises, are: Carl Warner, an

accountant, 4857 Palm street, and

Mrs. Marie Aitken, 4209 Ridge

avenue, who were driving north in

Vandeventer, and Ralph J. Sullivan,

4232 McPherson avenue, who

was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs.

Henry Dillon, Mrs. Martha Brington

and her son, Paul, 5 years old,

all of 6001 Maple avenue.

After the accident it was discovered

\$19 and two rings had been

stolen from Miss Aitken's purse,

which had been dropped in Warner's

machine.

Albert Bass, 10, 815 Gano avenue,

suffered a fractured leg last night when struck by an automobile

while driving in a safety zone at

Grand boulevard and Natural

Bridge avenue. The driver took the

boy to a physician's office and de-

livered him to his parents.

The physician gave the boy his

name and address. Investigation disclosed

the address was fictitious.

Leland V. Campbell, an insurance

collector, 5571 De Giverville avenue,

suffered spinal injuries in a

collision of two machines at Lotus

and Enright avenues early yester-

day.

Miss Cora Songer, 3548 Victor

street, suffered head injuries early

yesterday when a machine in which

she was riding collided with an

another car at Grand boulevard and

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McCoy's today. You can get them

at any drug store; and once you see

how they help you, you'll thank us

for this advice. 60 tablets—60 cents.

## Stix, Baer &amp; Fuller Downstairs Store

Lowest Prices We Have Ever Quoted On Alexander Smith & Co.

## Rugs

A great 17-store purchase makes this unusual sale possible. Bringing to you these carpets at remarkable savings. NOW is the time to purchase new Rugs for the home, if you would have fine quality at an extraordinary low price.

SILVER JUBILEE  
1906 1931

Store Hours  
9 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.  
Tuesday

Scores of Other Great Offerings

Girls' Printed Tub Silk Pon-  
gee & Rayon Crepe Frocks

Sizes 7 to 14 Yrs. \$1.79  
Very Specially Priced



Girls' School Blouses  
So smart for the school miss; developed in batiste and voile; pin-dot prints and solid colors; smocking on collars and sleeves; fancy frills, bows, ties; hip fitting; sizes 6 to 16.

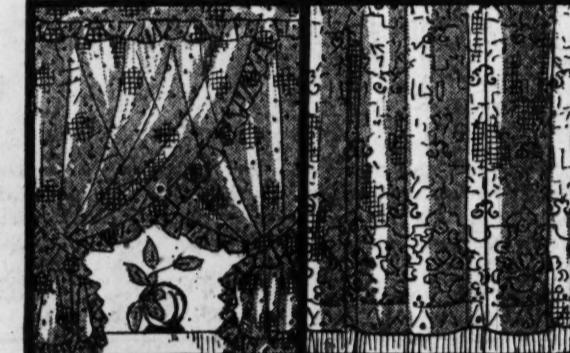
80c

Rayon Undies  
All Are Perfect 50c

PANTIES, banded or loose knees; COMBINATIONS, banded knees; VEST, with strap shoulders; BLOOMERS, with large, roomy seats. Milanese trimmed or plain. All sizes in all colors.

Silk Hose  
Irregulars \$1.39

\$1.39 & \$1.69  
RUFFLE AND LACE PANEL



5 Great Groups 77c  
\$1.00 Pure-Dye, Weight-  
ed-Silk Undies 77c  
Panties and step-ins; daintily lace trim-  
med; flesh or peach; regular sizes.

Misses' & Women's  
PAJAMAS 77c

2200 Women's Gowns  
Pajamas, Bloomers  
Chemise, Slips, Panties  
and Stepins

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Panties and step-ins; daintily lace trim-  
med; flesh or peach; regular sizes.

Misses' & Women's  
PAJAMAS 77c

Two-piece, tuck-ins; alluring prints; wide trousers; novel details in contrasting color combinations; also em-  
brodered crepe Pajamas.

Rayon Twill & Rayon  
Crepe Slips 77c  
Flesh, white, and black; regulation  
style; regular sizes. Also in the group  
are panties and flat crepe Slips.

Samples of \$1.49  
Philippine Gowns, 77c  
Elaborately embroidered; full cut; ex-  
cellent quality; a few are slightly soiled  
from handling; regular and extra sizes.

Extra-Size Rayon  
Undies 77c  
Chemise, gowns, panties, bloomers,  
step-ins; lace or glove silk trimmed;  
flesh and peach.

CURTAINS  
79c

This offering is of such importance from a saving standpoint, that buying your Spring Curtains now will prove most advantageous. All the newest styles. LACE PANELS in shadow lace weave, ecru tint, fringed bottoms. RUFFLE CURTAINS in plain colored dots and figures. Criss-cross and valance styles; tie-backs included. Cream grounds.

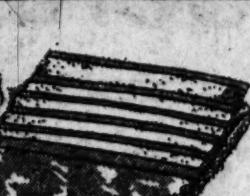


## Colored Bed Spreads

Made to Sell \$1.28  
for \$2.50

Save at this "Silver Jubilee" price . . . Made of fine quality, heavy weight material with neat striped centers; fast colored tinted grounds. Each Spread neatly scalloped and may be used on either side. Choose from peach, rose, blue, green and orchid. 81x105 inches.

See Our Other Announcement on Pages 8 and 9, This Section.



## Bath Towels

6000 AMAZINGLY LOW PRICED

GROUP 1 . . . . . 3 for 48c

Fine, spongy, bleached, double-thread terry cloth Towels with deep, colored borders; all fast color; 20x40-inch size.

GROUP 2 . . . . . 3 for 58c

22x44 heavy, solid color terry cloth Towels in pink, green, yellow, apricot and orchid. Hemmed. Subject to an occasional drop thread.

GROUP 3 . . . . . 3 for 78c

These sell regularly for 39c each . . . fine, bleached, double-thread terry cloth; hemmed; fast colored borders in blue, pink, yellow, green and orchid.

Group 4 . . . . . 33c Each

De Luxe ribbed Bath Towels, 23x45 inches; closely woven, ribbed weave; very serviceable. Subject to an occasional drop thread.

## MEN'S 50c GRADE ATHLETIC

## Shirts &amp; Shorts

3 for 1

SHORTS of fine broacloths, fancy patterns, stripes, also plain colors; three-button set-in French waistbands with elastic sides; full balloon seats; sizes 28 to 42. ATHLETIC SHIRTS, fine ribbed and flat knit combed yarns; plain white. 34 to 46.

Illustrations of men's athletic shirts and shorts.

Auto Hits Train: Two Killed. John Hinkie, both of Minonk, drove their automobile into the side of it, near that place early today. The car caught fire and Central train. Michael Shea and both men were burned to death.

## ADVERTISEMENT

### The Amazing Price Reduction on "Pittsburg" Hot Water Heaters Makes Them Outsell All Others, Three for One in St. Louis

Terms of Nothing Down and 12 Months to Pay Brings Record Sales. The Wonder Is That Every Antique Hot Water Device Hasn't Been Throw Out Before This.

You can rid yourself of hot water problems for the next twenty years. Now is the time to buy while copper and other raw materials are low.

This new 1931 "Pittsburg" is all copper bearing metal. It has every tested modern improvement, including quick-recovery devices to prevent loss of heat, and waste of gas, hitherto available only for high priced heaters. It will save you at least 30% on your gas bill if you are not automatically equipped for your old heater.



### Milk Chocolates

Special Tuesday Only

Nougats  
Caramels  
Fudge

**25c** POUND

Asst. Creams  
Nut Tops

Delicious Assortment of Hard and Chewy Centers and Creams, Ready-Packed

Caramel Pecan Layer Cake .50c  
Cake Doughnuts, doz. .20c

CANDIES MAILED ANYWHERE

### Bread Prices Cut Again . . .

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA COMPANY, in a nation-wide reduction, acts on the suggestion of the U. S. Senate Committee on food prices to meet the country's need for cheap food.

GRANDMOTHER'S	NOW	WAS	YOU
Bran . . .	16-oz. Loaf	5c	8½c
GRANDMOTHER'S	16-oz. Loaf	5c	8½c
Whole Wheat	16-oz. Loaf	5c	8½c



A&P's policy is to give the consumer the benefit of lower prices of raw material. That is why A&P's bread prices were first reduced a number of months ago. There is no better way of getting rid of America's surplus wheat than by encouraging the people to eat it up.

#### Recently Reduced

White Bread . . .	12-oz. Loaf	4c	5c	1c
Sliced Bread . . .	16-oz. Loaf	6c	8c	2c
Pan Rolls . . .	Doz.	5c	7½c	2½c
Twin Loaf . . .	2 20-oz. Loaves	15c	8½c	5c
White Bread . . .	2 20-oz. Loaves	15c	8c	½c

See Our Other Announcement on Page 6, Part 2

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA COMPANY  
Middle Western Division

ROBISON CHARGES WIDE FRAUD IN LAST KENTUCKY ELECTION  
Defeated U. S. Senator Tells Nye That "Whole Precincts Were Stolen."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Former Senator Robison (Rep.), Kentucky, charged today in a letter to Chairman Nye of the Senate Campaign Funds Investigating Committee that "whole precincts were stolen" in the election last fall in which he was defeated.

Denying he had injected the religious issue into the campaign, Robison said he felt it there was to be an investigation of the 1930 Kentucky election it should not be confined to the Republican party.

"The Kentucky State Highway Commission is in the hands of eight pro-Nazi Democrats," Robison said. "They had millions of dollars under their control. Kentucky needed roads. Thousands of men and their families were destitute of account of unemployment and drought.

"It was a matter spoken of throughout the State that persons interested in the Democratic candidates visited various communities in the State and stated bluntly to many officials and citizens that they would have to line up for the Democratic candidates to get this or that road built or to get employment."

CHINESE SHRINE OF WALL COLLECTION ON EXHIBITION

Other Oriental Art Objects in Group Being Shown at Department Store.

A Chinese shrine and other Oriental art objects from the collection of the late Dr. Otto Augustus Wall of St. Louis are on exhibition at Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

The shrine has been in possession of the Wall family since 1905. Dr. Wall admired a similar one which was shown at the World's Fair here and through negotiations with those in charge of the Chinese exhibition was able to obtain one for \$10,000, plus the cost of transportation.

The shrine in China is regarded as a token of good luck. Dragons are carved on it to ward off evil spirits and in the ceiling a griffin is carved as an augury of good fortune. It contains compartments in which valuables were deposited for safe keeping. A photograph of the shrine appears on the pictorial page of the Post-Dispatch today.

\$75,000 BOND ISSUE ELECTION

Ritenour, St. Louis County, to Vote On School Problem Tomorrow.

A special election on a \$75,000 bond issue for additions to school facilities in Ritenour, St. Louis County, will be held tomorrow. Polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Schools in the district are overcrowded.

# Scruggs • Vandervoort • Barney

Featured in the February Sale!

Tuesday for the First Time

## Broadloom Carpet

Square Yard **\$3.75**  
Special at

Choose From These Colors

Jade Green  
Copper  
Henna  
Raisin  
Burgundy  
Rose Taupe

A splendid quality of broadloom . . . in the colors that smart decorators are using everywhere! A wonderful opportunity to save on new floorcovering for Spring! Comes in 9 and 12 foot widths.

Just think! You can have a 9x12-ft. Rug made in your choice of colors, for only . . .

**\$48.00**  
27-In. Carpet to match, broadloom color.  
Special at, yard . . . . . \$2.45

Carpet Shop—Fourth Floor.

## February Sale of Footwear

650 Pairs of Women's Smart Spring Shoes Purchased to Sell at Two Remarkable Prices

**\$10 Values**      **\$12.50 Values**

**\$7.85**      **\$9.85**



They've just arrived—the newest, smartest styles for Spring—pumps, straps and ties, priced for the sale at exceptional savings. Sizes 4 to 8½ . . . AAA to B.

Black and Navy Kid  
Patent Leather      Beige Kid  
Genuine Water Snake

Pumps      Straps      Ties

Vandervoort's Shoe Salon—Second Floor.

## Sure Way to Get Rid of Dandruff

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will start your hair and ruin it if you don't. It doesn't do much good to try to comb or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it; then you remove it entirely.

To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your symptoms of dandruff will be gone, and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and remove every sign and trace of it.

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Set to Prosecute Labor Heads.  
Associated Press.  
MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—Criminal charges are to be filed, the Communist Party of Labor announced today, against more than 60 Government organizations whose directors failed to obey an order to discharge from their departments all former railroad employees so that the latter

might be re-engaged for transportation service. Efforts to get former railroad men back on the job appear only partly successful because there is a great demand for labor in every other line.

Burglar Loses Own Pocketbook.  
VIENNA, Feb. 16.—Mildred,

4-year-old daughter of Gilchrist Stockton, United States Minister to Austria, woke up her father last night and told him there was a burglar in the house. Stockton searched the lower floors. He found there actually had been a burglar and that the intruder, escaping without loot, had dropped his own well-filled pocketbook.

## ADVERTISEMENT

### Discomfort of Acid Stomach Quickly Relieved

"I am pleased and glad to say and tell you that a package of ACIDINE and helped me quicker than anything else I have ever taken," says Miss Bonts of Windgap, "I tell others about this—to get ACIDINE and try it."

Just another of thousands who are satisfied with the way this preparation ACIDINE stays when many other remedies fail. The reason is it is somewhat different from other medicines. ACIDINE contains Japan wax which, in laboratory tests, digested 800 times its own weight of starch. ACIDINE also relieves acid, soothes irritated stomach and neutralizes linings that relieve acidosis.

When acid stomach, gas, pain, heartburn, bad taste, heavy feeling, constipation, headache, dizziness, nervousness, gas, heartburn, etc., trouble you, take ACIDINE. If not delighted, maker refunds money.

Walgreen Drug Stores

### Sure Way to Get Rid of Dandruff

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To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arova, apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your symptoms of dandruff will be gone, and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and remove every sign and trace of it.



You will find, too, that all irritation and irritation of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arova at any drug store. Four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you may have. This simple remedy entirely satisfies.

## NUGENTS

DOWNTOWN STORE  
Broadway & Washington

UPTOWN STORE  
Vanderbilt & Olive

WELLSTON STORE  
Hediment & Eaton

### The Ribbon Hat

For In-Between Seasons

\$5

Copies of original \$15 to \$18 models, retaining the self-same chic that made them such successes! In colors of Chukker, red, navy, open and black.

Nugents, Second Floor—Downtown Store Only



### Print Wash Dresses

In Fifteen New Spring Styles

\$1

"Spring is here," fairly exclaim these new prints. They come in delightful colorings, trimmed with organdie, pique and buttons. Both straightline and flare skirts. Applique trimmings and contrasting bindings. Included in the group are some "Pepperell" prints. Sizes, misses' 16 to 46; women's 48 to 52.

Nugents, Second Floor—Also Uptown and Wellston Stores



## Sonnenfeld's Downstairs Shop Do It Again! 1000 Brand- NEW FROCKS

To Equal the Values in  
the Startling Sale of  
Last Week!

• Brilliant Small  
and Large Prints!

• Color Contrast!  
Prints With Crepe!

• Brite - Lite  
Crepes for  
Street...  
for Dress!

\$4.40

You'll MARVEL That Such Frocks Can Be Only \$4.40!

HUNDREDS of women came to our great \$4.40 Dress Sale of last week... came and BOUGHT! So we immediately set out to scour the market for EQUAL VALUES. We admit it was difficult... but we've assembled a collection that is SUPERB... the exquisite SILKS... the TAILORING... the CHARMING STYLES... come up to our standards. You'll buy three and four of these AMAZING Frocks at an even more AMAZING price... \$4.40!

All the Styles You Want! Color Contrast...  
Scarfs... Jackets... Boleros... Exciting Prints!

Sizes 12 to 20 and 36 to 46!  
Black and ALL COLORS



SALE! 1000  
STRAW HATS  
\$2 and \$3 VALUES

Now, no one need do without a new Hat. Not with such extraordinary Values possible! These newest Straws in Bicorn, Tricorn and new Brim effects are copies of high priced models and are smart enough to look many times more than \$1! Black and Spring colors.

All Head Sizes... 21 to 23 1/2



Here Are the Season's  
New Fashions in

### Spring Coats

**\$25**

High shades are in fashion favor... and these new garments choose such delightful tones as skipper blue, avocado green, capucine, bandana, golden glow, tan, eggshell and black! Equally important are the new materials such as conga, crepe sponge, velveteen, crepe wools and tweeds—smartly completed with Summer furs. Misses' and women's sizes.

Nugents, Second Floor—Also Uptown and Wellston Stores

### Clips and Buckles

Of Sparkling Rhinestones

**50c Each**

It's smart to have these sparkling ornaments on hat, shoes, bags and dresses... and these are in style-alert designs!

Nugents—Street Floor, South  
Trimming Dept.

### Jenny Lind Beds

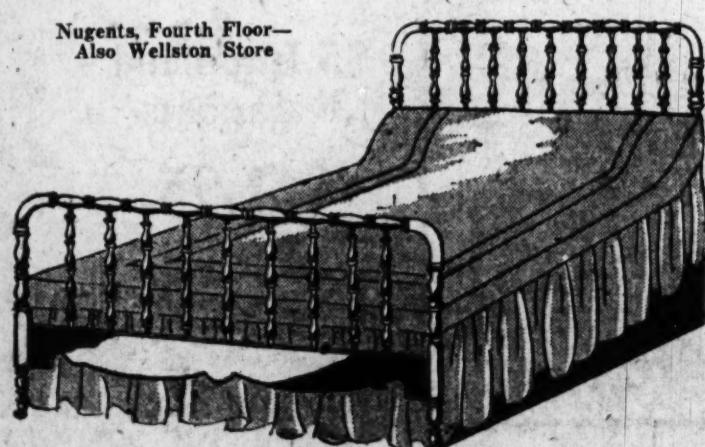
With Simmons Inner-Spring  
Mattress and Coil Spring

Regularly **\$29.75**  
\$45.00...

Complete

Built of hardwood in either maple or walnut finish. The SIMMONS 99-coil spring helical tied top is double deck. Full or twin size. SIMMONS INNER SPRING MATTRESS has 299 inner springs covered with 15-lb. layer felt at top and bottom. Roll edge, colorful Dobestry ticking, full or twin size.

Nugents, Fourth Floor—  
Also Wellston Store



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Sale of  
owels

Colored borders in  
peach, green, blue,  
orchid, rose and gold.  
Now's the time to re-  
plenish your shelves for  
months to come!

Irish Linen  
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**9C Each**

Excellent quality, close-  
bleached snowy white, with  
Size 42x36. Attractive  
values.

MAIL ORDERS

WARES



**Detecto Scales**

Regularly \$7.95  
The ideal bathroom Scales in  
white or green enamel finish.  
Brand-new! One day  
only at this price... \$5.98



**Knife and Fork Sets**

\$6.50 Value  
Includes 6 mainmeal steel knives  
and 6 stainless steel forks with  
white poroid handles. In  
attractive gift  
box.

**\$3.89**



**Waffle Iron**

\$12.50 Value

Equipped with heat indicator  
Non - removable  
plate finish. Fully  
guaranteed.

**\$5.95**





**American Beauty Shel-Roni**

The New, Tender, Creamy, Delicious Food!

**Itching Skin**

Wherever it is and whatever the cause, relieved at once by Resinol. Even if the trouble has resisted many treatments and the skin is sore and inflamed, the healing medicament in this soothing ointment seldom fails to give satisfying results. Use Resinol also for chafing, burns, rashes, sores—wherever a healing dressing is needed. At all drug stores.

Sample Sent Free. Write Resinol, Dept. 73, Baltimore, Md.

**Resinol****COUSINS TEA CO.**4 SOUTH BROADWAY MAIN 2551-2552  
DON'T CARRY IT—CALL UP—WE DELIVER21 LBS. FINEST GRANULATED SUGARS \$1  
Sold With \$1.00 Worth of Other Goods

Cousins	3 lbs.	59c
Value		
Cousins	4 lbs.	\$1
Special Blend		
Famous	3 lbs.	\$1
French Blend		

5-LB. PAIL PURE IDAHO HONEY... \$1

DRINK TEA—WE HAVE YOUR KIND

WE OWN A REPUTATION FOR QUALITY

The Post-Dispatch offers readers a far larger number of rooms for rent than are listed in all the other St. Louis newspapers combined. It is the recognized renting medium in St. Louis.

**PIGGY WIGGLY**

RIGHT FROM SUNNY CALIFORNIA!

**ICEBERG LETTUCE**

CRISP FRESH SOLID 2 60 SIZE HEADS 15c Shipped by Refrigeration Direct to You!

BANANAS 4 lbs. 25c SPINACH Fresh tender 3 lbs. 14c  
GREEN ONIONS 3 Nice Bunches 10c NEW CABBAGE Firm Head 3 lbs. 10c**ORANGES** Sweet, Juicy Calif. Navel 25c**Tomato Sardines** Full Pound Oval Can 10c

Try These Fine Sardines Packed in a Delicious Tomato Sauce—They're Delicious!

**Tuna Fish** White Star Selected 2 1/2-lb. Cans 43c  
**Tomatoes** Standard Pack Good Quality 3 No. 2 Cans 20c

Delightful Foods For LENT	<b>CORN</b>	2 No. 2 Cans 25c
Pink Salmon 2 Cans 25c HAPPY VALE	<b>CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP</b>	3 Cans 23c
Cod Fish 15c READY TO FRY	<b>DEL MONTE OR LIBBY'S SALMON</b>	2 Tall Cans 63c
Crab Meat 39c GEISHA, FINEST SELECTED	<b>PUMPKIN</b>	3 Lbs. 25c
Spaghetti 8c AMERICAN BEAUTY	<b>PRUNES</b>	2-1-lb. 2-1-lb. Pkgs., 25c Pkg. 19c
Shrimp 32c SEA GARDEN, 6 1/4-OZ. JAR	<b>DOUGHNUTS</b>	Sugar or Plain Doz. 20c
Crackers 25c SUNSHINE KRISPY		

**Cookie Week!**  
Loose-Wiles Hydrox Cookies, 3 Pkgs. 25c

Meats as Suggested by the Meat Master

**Sliced Bacon** PIGGY WIGGLY Lb. 33c

Nice Lean Strips of Fine Bacon—Served With Sunny Farm Eggs, Doz. 19c

**SLICED HAM** These Fine Hams Sliced and Cut From the Finest Hams  
**GROUND BEEF** Fresh Daily  
**BOSTON ROLL** The Finest Roast Possible  
**SPARERIBS** AND KRAUT 2 Lbs. of Each 29c

**STEAKS** SIRLOIN, ROUND TENDERLOIN Lb. 33c  
Juicy—Tender—Delicious**PIGGY WIGGLY****A cold does 3 things**

"Pape's" relieves them all

who could not afford to pay for blood transfusions, was dying for lack of red corpuscles. A call went out to Boy Scout headquarters. More than 100 boys volunteered. Maggie is recovering.

## ADVERTISEMENT

**New Way to Hold Lower FALSE TEETH****Firmly in Place**

Just sprinkle a little Fastooth on your false teeth. This new, tasteless powder holds teeth firm and comfortable. No gummy, pasty taste. Makes breath pleasant. Get Fastooth today at Wolff-Wilson, Walgreen's or any other drug store.

A cold always affects you in at least three ways. Air passages are inflamed and irritated. Perspiration is checked. Constipation is induced by the acid wastes. So doctors say you must do three things to relieve a cold.

Pape's Cold Compound does all three! It reduces inflammation and swelling of the mucous membrane; it induces perspiration; acts

as a laxative. Chew one of these pleasant tablets and see how quickly nasal discharge lessens; head clears; breathing becomes easy. See how that achy, feverish, weak feeling disappears. And "Pape's" doesn't stop here. It activates bowel and removes germs and acid wastes from the system. All drug stores—35c. Just remember "Pape's".

**WET WASH 5c**

Don't think because your bundle is a wet wash bundle that it will not be given the same attention as a higher priced service. Wet Wash is a Specialty With Us.

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Park Ave.

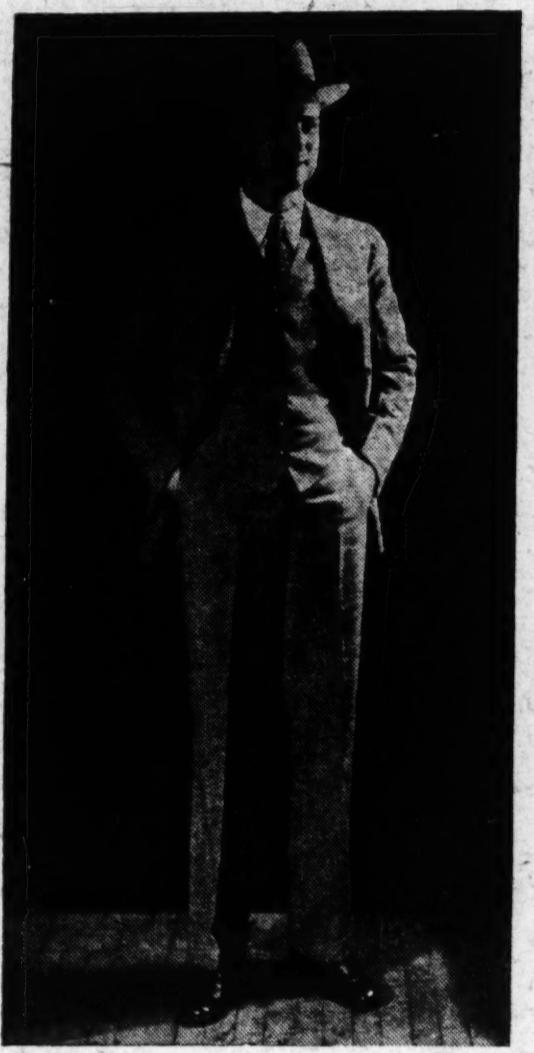
15% Discount

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11 Trucks—

Post-Dispatch Classified advertisements rent rooms. The Post-Dispatch is read in far more homes in St. Louis than can be reached through any other newspaper.

**YOU****SAVE TIME**

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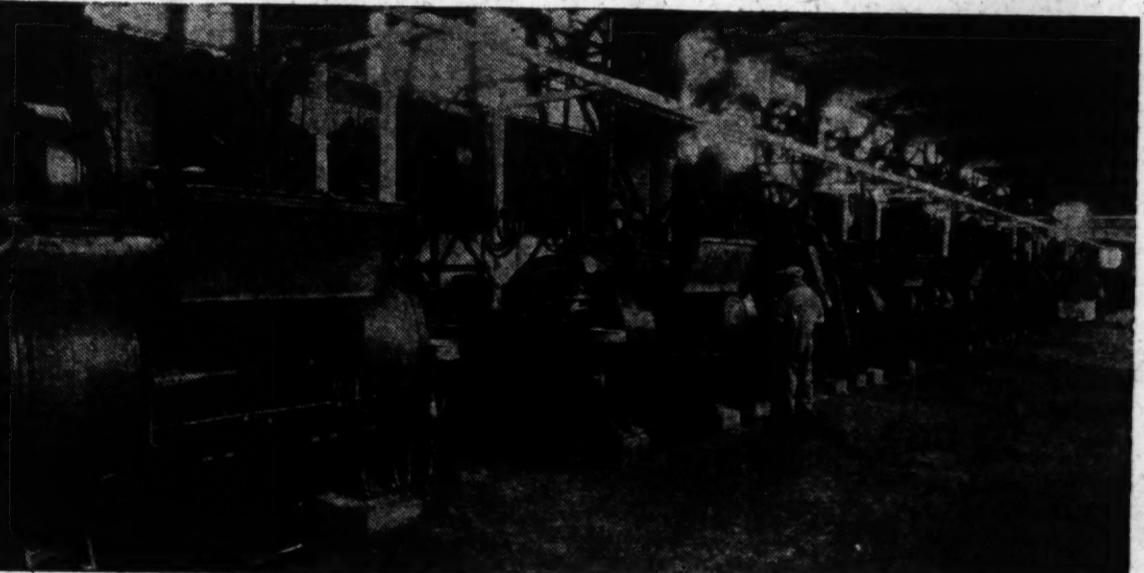
**LUNGSTRAS' CLEANING**

of

**MEN'S SUITS  
TOPCOATS**

Your suit returned in 24 hours cleaned in Lungstras exacting manner at a remarkably low price.

**Men's Suits** cleaned pressed 75c  
**Topcoats** cleaned pressed 75c  
**Felt Hats** cleaned blocked 50c  
**Gloves** cleaned 25c

**WHERE YOUR SUIT IS CLEANED**

Largest cleaning department in Middle West—9 French imported machines with capacity of 6000 suits every 24 hours—Another reason for Lungstras quality.



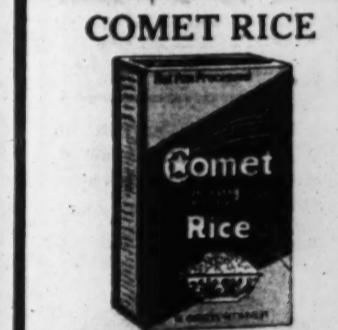
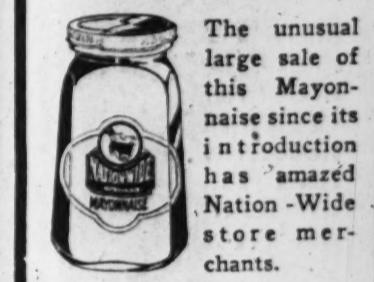
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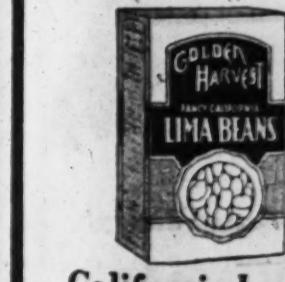
**HAN-DEE BREAD**  
Sliced Ready to Serve  
For table service, sandwiches and toast, HAN-DEE BREAD is daily enjoyed in the majority of St. Louis homes. Made of the finest materials, full-time baked. Uniform texture and natural wheat flavor. The perfect bread for every bread purpose.

22 SLICES, 10c

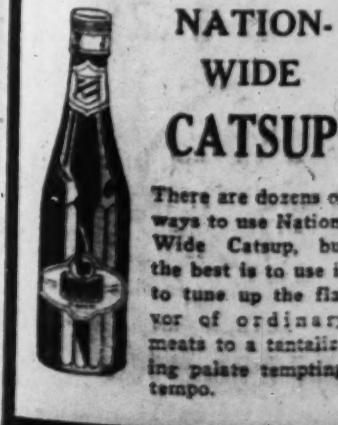
**Manhattan or Nation-Wide Mayonnaise**



Comet Rice Pudding is an appropriate dessert for the growing and underweight child. Such a dessert not only supplies nourishment but causes the child to leave the table satisfied.



California Large LIMA BEANS Selected for quality and packed for cleanliness. You see the product in the Cellophane Front Window carton.



There are dozens of ways to use National Wide Catsup, but the best is to use it to tune up the flavor of ordinary meats to a tantalizing palatable tempting tempo.

**ASH 5¢**  
per  
lb.  
We have a  
room expert  
Watch the dif-  
ference. Phone  
Grand 2002  
11 Trucks

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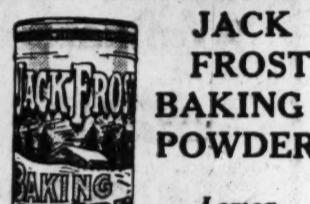


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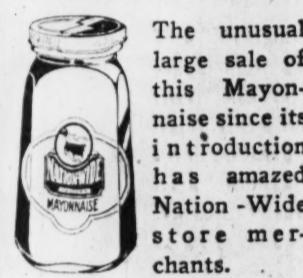


### JACK FROST BAKING POWDER

Lemon Cake

One cup butter, 3 cups sugar, 8 eggs, 4½ cups flour, 1 cup sweet milk, 2 rounded tablespoonsfuls Jack Frost Baking Powder, 1 lemon (grated).

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**JUST WRITE A RECIPE**

Here Is Your Opportunity to Earn a Cash Prize Each Week... and to Be Among the Grand Prize Winners. A Cook Book for Every Participant.

Fun, writing recipes! It is a pleasure to make up these attractive food combinations. With money for doing something you like to do. Simple, too! Imagine if you can, being winner of one of the 30 prizes, offered each week. Or you may experience that happy surprise of being the winner of the grand prize of \$500.00. Someone will get it. Why not try for it? Take a few minutes to think out a prize winner. Send it at once. Look for next week's contest—try again. Interesting, isn't it?

The contest will continue for 20 weeks. The 20 first weekly prize winners will be the winners of the grand prizes. Some of these will get more but none less than \$35.00.

These grand prize awards will be made at the end of the 20 weeks. All the weekly awards will be made as soon as the judges announce the winners.

Regardless of whether or not you win a prize, you will receive one of the cook books containing the recipes of the 1st, 2d and 3d weekly prize winners if you enter the contest.

Set the list of cash prizes. Read and follow the rules—that is very important.

Your recipe must include Breast O'Chicken Tuna Fish, the article featured this week.

Address your recipe to: Recipe Contest Dept., Nation-Wide Stores, 8th and Clark Av., St. Louis, Mo.

### RULES OF CONTEST

1. Address all communications to the Contest Editor, Nation-Wide Stores, 8th and Clark, St. Louis, Mo.
2. The Contest is open to all women and will run for 20 consecutive weeks, beginning Monday, January 26, and ending the week of June 7, 1931.
3. The Contest is open to all except the employees of the Nation-Wide Stores and their families or the employees or his family of the firm whose product is the prize subject for this week.
4. Every woman is eligible to submit a recipe each week. You can win a prize each week.
5. Write a recipe including Breast O'Chicken Tuna Fish, which is the prize subject for this week.
6. In your recipes, specify the amount of each ingredient used, the process of mixing, the manner of

### COBCUT CORN

Corn and Cheese Pudding



1 can cobcut corn, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 2 well beaten eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 four-ounce can pimento. Mix well in shallow bowl. Cover with Swiss or grated cheese. Bake in a moderate oven three-quarters of an hour.

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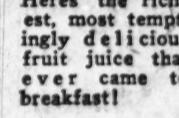


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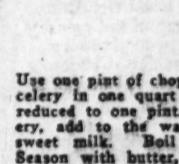
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Move to Put Iceland in League.  
By the Associated Press.  
REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Feb. 16.—During the present session of the Althing the Government will ask for authority to apply for Iceland's membership in the League of Nations, it is announced.



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## HULL FOR DOWNWARD REVISION OF TARIFF

Tennessee Senator-Elect Calls on Democrats to Effect "Re-adjustment to a Decent Level"

Post-Dispatch Bureau, 201-205 Kellogg Bldg.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—In a statement outlining his conception of the proposed Democratic policy during the next two years, Representative Cordell Hull of Tennessee, Senator-elect from that State and a former chairman of the Democratic National Committee, declared that "the need is imperative for a re-examination of our tariff structure with a view to its readjustment to a decent level."

Hull is one of the acknowledged Democratic authorities in Congress on fiscal problems.

Hull asserted that the high tariff barriers in this and other countries are the greatest single cause of the present world economic collapse.

"There must be more than mere hair-splitting difference between the two political parties on tariff and commercial policy," he continued. "They must be fundamental. The record of the Democratic party is deeply rooted in every definite and sound economic philosophy which embraces justice and equality. The Republican economic philosophy is steeped in the most aggravated forms of special privilege or governmental favoritism."

"If the two old political parties are to be merged with respect to the tariff, then they should be merged with all the minor forces of special privileges. There should be no sham fighting."

"Nor can the tariff be taken out of politics through a tariff commission. High tariffs are a definite part of the ideals of the Republican party, and no Republican agency, however honest, could ever be depended upon to adjust them to a moderate or competitive level. The country can only look to those who fundamentally oppose the philosophy of typical Republican high tariffs for practical revision downward."

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For either political party, with the aid of a tariff commission, merely to stabilize the rates around the high Republican tariff level will not and should not be accepted by the country as 'taking tariff out of politics.'"

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## M'KELVIE TO QUIT JUNE 15 AS FARM BOARD MEMBER

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By the Associated Press.

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a political job." McKelvie said that, even if approached, he would refuse to succeed Legge.

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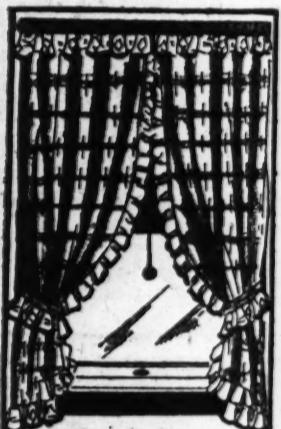
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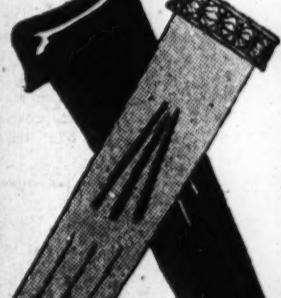


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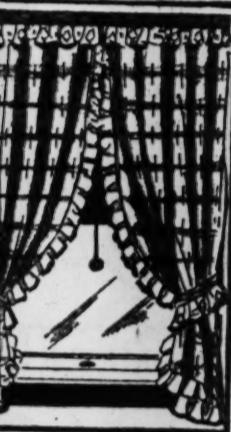
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PART TWO.

BRITAIN TO GRANT  
GENERAL AMNESTY  
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Victory of India Says Settlement Rests Entirely With Mahatma, Now on Way to Parley.

WILLING TO ORDER  
INQUIRY OF POLICE

He Emphasizes, However, That Laws Against Salt Making Can Be Altered Only by Legislature.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW DELHI, India, Feb. 16.—Lord Irwin said today the Government was ready to grant general amnesty to political prisoners in India and to consider withdrawal of the present laws against the present party activities if Mahatma Gandhi would call off his civil disobedience campaign and give evidence of a "change of heart" toward the Government.

He told this to Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru, Srimivasa Sastry and M. R. Jayakar, with whom he had a long talk this afternoon, preliminary to an interview with Gandhi tomorrow or Wednesday.

Now, the Viceroy said, peace in India rests entirely with Gandhi. He expressed the hope that the Mahatma would not let this chance for real self-government go by default.

He is even willing, he said, to order an inquiry into allegations of police brutality, provided a prima facie case is established, but he cannot permit violation of the laws prohibiting salt making, which can be changed or repealed only by the legislature.

The Viceroy has reserved all of tomorrow and Wednesday for his talk with Gandhi.

By the Associated Press.  
ALLAHABAD, India, Feb. 16.—Lord Irwin, India's "model" town where laborers, craftsmen, engineers and artisans connected with the construction of the Hoover Dam will live for the first eight years.

On a high tableland of several thousand acres, 23 miles east of Las Vegas, Nev., Boulder City will provide homes for approximately 2000 workers and their families. It will be constructed with rigid economy as to detail, although permitting many new ideas in city planning. To S. R. de Boer, Denver landscape artist, has been assigned the task of planning the town.

Designed on the lines of a double triangle, Boulder City is to have no cross streets. Boulevards, named across the Colorado River sides, will act as traffic arteries, and there will be open plazas near each of the larger buildings in the business district.

Engineers hope to begin installation of the domestic water system in July, and the city buildings will proceed shortly afterward.

Chuches, schools, theaters, hospitals, playgrounds, a hotel and a nine-hole golf course will be built—all set to a scale of simplicity. For those wishing to engage in business at Boulder City lots will be for lease next year.

There will be no concessions, monopolies, and during the period of construction no lots will be sold.

Southern pine, fir, date, pomegranate and palm trees will be planted in the desert region. Uncle Sam will spare no effort to make his workers in the wasteland as comfortable as possible. To shut off summer's hot winds the city will be hedged by a forest of trees.

Allowance has been made for the possible growth and development of Boulder City beyond the eight-year period for which it is being constructed. Many of the workers, no doubt, will remain in the community, while others, because of the nature of their employment, will go elsewhere after the dam is finished.

## SENATOR BLACK PLANS

## FILIBUSTER FOR SHOALS

Alabama Democrat Says He Will Try to Block Appropriation

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Senator Black (Dem.), Alabama, today invited other Senators to join him in a movement to filibuster against appropriation bills unless Muscle Shoals legislation is enacted. Black said he would seek the aid of his Democratic colleagues to block the supply bills unless the administration brings about an agreement on Muscle Shoals.

"The time has come," he said, "when if they will join me we will have a Muscle Shoals bill, or not another appropriation bill will be passed."

The legislation in question is at deadlock between Senate and House conference.

"It is just as important to the country that Muscle Shoals legislation should be passed, as it is to have the appropriation bills passed," said Black. "When an agreement is so near, there is no excuse for the administration not bringing one about."

Elected President of Finland, HELSINKI, Finland, Feb. 16.—Premier Pehr Evind Svinhufvud, who spent two and a half years in Siberia as a Russian prisoner, was elected President of the Finnish republic today for a six-year term. He received 151 of the 180 electoral votes.

726,000 FAMILIES APPLY  
FOR WORK ON SOVIET FARMS

Record for 20 Days, Moscow Says—Majority to Be Accepted, But Kulaks Are Barred From Movement.

By the Associated Press.

MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—Soviet Russia is going "back to the farm," according to figures just issued by the Government.

During the last 10 days in January and the first 10 in February, a total of 726,000 families "joined" the collective farms, the figures show. This migration is the greatest in history. Development of these farms has always been the backbone of the Soviet movement. The word "joined" is used by the Government to designate that these families have made application to enter the collective farms. The majority will be accepted although the Kulaks, or rich peasants, are not permitted to take part in the movement.

In contrast to the present situation, the Government was having difficulty in getting families for the farms last year and nearly had to force the peasants to return to the soil. Under present conditions, according to the authorities, the enthusiasm for the farm life is so great that the Government can pick and choose those it wishes to put at this work.

Most of the families who have applied to join the movement come from the Ukrainian Republic,

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JOSEPH PULITZER,  
April 16, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## Insurance Company Tactics.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: I WOULD like to see some of the editorial grime which have been bombarding the public utilities lower their sights occasionally and slam a few at the insurance companies. If the Government should be in the power business, certainly the State should be in the insurance business. Congress has never passed any laws compelling us to use electric light or ride street cars. But the State of Missouri has compelled us to provide workmen's compensation insurance and will shortly decide whether or not we shall buy automobile accident insurance.

The insurance companies are much more influential in Jefferson City than the power interests are in Washington and so far as has been suggested to keep their political connections out of the insulation. They only had to put out a few well trained bellwethers to get the people to reject Proposition No. 4. If people are uninformed, uninterested, and unaffected would simply not vote on such propositions, a referendum might decide something properly. Indifferent voters are no less a public menace than corrupt officials, the chief difference being that corrupt officials usually get some share of the spoils when someone wants to exploit the public.

I don't know where the statistics come from on which compensation insurance rates are based, but I do know that someone is being found when a steel erection costs \$1,33 for which \$10 of premium is due. Insurance company. Steel erection is hazardous work, but it is not that hazardous. I have seen several million dollars worth of it done on which there was not one serious accident. Contractors who are financially able to carry their own insurance and would like to do so, cannot because the insurance companies wield so much influence in the financial world that a contractor cannot buck them.

To me, insurance is like a great leech, feeding fear, producing nothing and draining billions from normal business channels. And now that they have bled all the oil from the people of Missouri with the workmen's compensation law, high pressure salesmanship and deception, they would again invoke the laws of the State to squeeze out a few million more dollars from automobile owners.

S. W. H.

## The Gary Tax Plan.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: JOSEPH PULITZER felt sure on April 16, 1907, that the Post-Dispatch would "never lack sympathy with the poor." At least so says your editorial masthead. Is that true in the current controversy over the State income tax?

Missouri's institutional needs are "undeniably acute." They must be met. • • • But to jump from institutional indigence to institutional affluence by a 10-year plan, involving an annual increase in expenditures of \$19,000,000, is manifestly ill-advised. • • • We cannot believe that the Legislature will approve the levies of the Gary-Becker bill.

The rowl of the corporations over their taxes is obscuring the excellent principles of the 1% to 5% per cent sliding scale of individual income taxes formulated by the Gary group. What if estimated returns are enormous? Economic pressure will lower rates quickly enough. The big job is to get that principle written into the statutes.

But to do that, we must have "sympathy with the poor."

READER.

## Emerson Used the Expression.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: THE writer of the letter entitled, "Origin of Radio Terms," may be perfectly correct in saying that the term, "signing off," came to be used by the radio announcers following a practice set by telegraphers. Kindly allow me to point out, however, that Ralph Waldo Emerson, our American philosopher of the early nineteenth century, used the expression in the phrase, "entire churches signing off." It appears in one of his essays in the 1830s before telegraphy came in. Where he got the expression I do not know.

J. C. RICHIE.

## Housecleaning Needed at Washington.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: REFERRING to Robert Gessner's statements regarding the Indian Bureau: The best thing the United States Government has done to the Indians is to fail to keep faith with them. The stench of the corruption attending the scandals involved reaches the heavens.

It is just another instance of wickedness in high places, of which we have seen plenty at Washington in past years. The farcical attempt at enforcement of the dry laws, Teapot Dome and the Kellogg charges, officially whitewashed by the Department of Justice, the kickbacks to the power interests plainly avowing to defeat Senator Norris; the recent expose of the Veterans' Bureau; and last, but not least, the present tariff act.

It is the cumulative effect of these breaches of the public trust that sows the seeds of bolshevism in the masses. We are badly in need of a good housecleaning at Washington. A VETERAN.

## THE JEFFERSONIAN HOOVER.

Mr. Hoover's Lincoln day address might, perhaps, be called an outline of the philosophy of American democracy. The principles laid down by the founders of our Government are familiar, but it is well, nevertheless, that men in public life should, on occasion, restate them. We are accustomed to the warning words spoken by the President, but the truths he reiterated bear repetition. All of us listening to them give our intellectual approval.

Nobody questions that the cornerstone of our governmental structure is local self-government. Still, there is a sort of moral tonic in hearing a President assert:

The moment responsibilities of any community, particularly in economic and social questions, are shifted from any part of the nation to Washington, then that community has subjected itself to a remote bureaucracy with its minimum of understanding and of sympathy. It has lost a large part of its voice and its control of its own destiny. . . . Where people divest themselves of local government responsibilities they at once lay the foundation for the destruction of their liberties.

This is a political gospel which the Post-Dispatch has preached throughout its entire existence. It is a faith to which we all profess devotion. In actual practice, however, many of us are prone to sacrifice the belief at the first call of expediency. Moreover, if we can't accomplish immediately the dominant purpose of a transitory mood we impatiently "try to remodel it nearer to our heart's desire" by appealing to Washington. Traditions wilt in the fierce blasts of propaganda. We are bound to have our way. If we cannot get it by the processes of democracy then we fly to bureaucracy.

We have gone far along this road—farther than most of us suspect. As diligent and competent a public man as former Senator Wadsworth of New York declared, several years ago, of our Government at Washington that it was so huge, interlocked and bewildering that nobody could understand it. In the same vein Senator Borah once remarked that "of all forms of governments yet devised, bureaucracy is the worst." The Chief Justice of our Supreme Court, Mr. Hughes, if we remember rightly, observed that if the states did not exist it would be necessary to create them. Thus these dignitaries of the Hamiltonian heritage sit at the feet of Jefferson, even as Lincoln did when he wrote: "The principles of Jefferson are the definitions and axioms of free society."

Mr. Hoover is, therefore, in the company of high contemporaries as well as historical authority when he counsels us to beware of turning to Washington for treatment of every political or economic or social toothache. What he is pleading with us to do is obvious—to discharge our duties as citizens; to accept the obligations of the franchise as well as its privileges. The thing resolves itself finally into intelligent voting. The cure for our political evils rests in the ballot. If it doesn't, democracy is at its worst.

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When our leaders rise to those heights of courage and candor we shall then have started on our way back to home rule.

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## THE VICTORY OF CUMBERLAND FALLS.

A six-year fight to prevent Cumberland Falls in Kentucky from being marred by a power development has just been successfully concluded. The State has acquired the falls from the Cumberland River Power Development Co. for \$400,000. The money was a gift to the State of Kentucky from the family of the late Coleman du Pont, who was born in the State. Senator du Pont set aside \$230,000 for the purchase when and if it could be made, and his widow contributed the difference.

Cumberland Falls is the largest waterfall east of the Mississippi, Niagara excepted, and is situated in a wild, almost unmarred mountain gorge in Southeastern Kentucky. When it was seized by the power company, Tom Wallace, editor of the Louisville Times, and other conservatives began the long-drawn-out battle to save this beauty spot for posterity. That they were able to win against the bitter and opposition of the power company is encouraging. It shows that in this ultra-commercial age it is still sometimes possible to prevent private greed from having its way at the expense of natural resources.

## SENATOR BROGAN'S WIRE-TAPPING BILL.

In Missouri the practice of tapping telegraph and telephone wires will be made a criminal offense if Senator Joseph Brogan's bill to that effect is passed by the Legislature. While Brogan's bill is aimed particularly at prohibition agents, who are using this means to obtain evidence against dry violators, it will have general application. Similar laws are in force in 29 states of the Union.

In June, 1928, the United States Supreme Court encouraged this odious practice by holding admissible evidence obtained by wire-tapping dry agents against a gang of bootleggers in the State of Washington. It was a five-to-four decision, Justices Butler, Stone, Holmes and Brandeis dissenting. The dissenting Judge scored the majority opinion in the most vigorous language, Justice Brandeis saying:

If we are to confine ourselves to precedent and logic, the reason for excluding evidence obtained by violating the Constitution seems to me logically to lead to excluding evidence obtained by a crime of the officers of the law.

We believe with Justice Brandeis that to tap telephone or telegraph wires to obtain evidence is a violation of the fourth amendment. We believe further that, regardless of the fact that the Supreme Court has made admissible evidence so obtained, Missouri should do the next best thing and provide for the prosecution of dry agents or anyone else who stoops to so despicable an invasion of a citizen's privacy. Dry agents or others may then tap wires only at the risk of fines and jail sentences by State courts.

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A Liberal resolution supported by all the members of the House of Commons except the extreme left wing of the Labor party expresses grave concern over increasing unemployment and suggests that in the absence of anything else the unemployed be turned to regional and town planning, housing and slum clearance, improvement in railroad and canal transportation, extension of traffic facilities in the great cities, land settlement, development of electric and telephone systems, and other public works. The resolution proposes that the necessary money be raised by inviting subscriptions to public loans, by economies in national expenditures and by increased taxes on land.

This approximates the program with which the Liberals went into the last campaign. They, too, proposed public works. It has taken time to convince England that there is no palliative short of this, as it will take still more time to persuade her that even this expedient cannot serve in the end. To a great extent the unemployed of the British Isles must, as the Labor party has concluded, go back to the land. Not even the rosiest forecast of what is to be can assume that England is ever to regain her pre-war industrial status. The House of Commons knows this, and all political parties at last find themselves in the same boat. The spectacle of men on the Tory benches cheering Mr. Snowden when the Chancellor of the Exchequer declared that further taxes on industry would be the straw that would break the camel's back was eloquent enough of the pass to which England has been brought by the great depression.

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Long ago it was said of the Bourbons that they "forget nothing and learn nothing." Alfonso XIII, Bourbon King of Spain, showed some signs of educational progress a week ago when he issued a call for parliamentary elections in March after a seven-year period in which dictators had superseded the Cortes. Now, however, it seems that his enlightenment may have come too late. The Berenguer Ministry, losing support of the Liberal Monarchs, has been forced to resign, and the King has canceled his election proclamation, preferring continued concentration of power to compromise with his people, at least pending settlement of the Cabinet crisis. That his first choice for Premier should be Sanchez Guerra, lately imprisoned as a rebel, indicates the trend of events.

So again the return of parliamentary rule has been offered to Spain, and then withdrawn. When Primo de Rivera seized the reins in 1923, he promised restoration of civil government in 90 days. At the end of his regime, in January, 1930, this had not resulted. Gen. Berenguer, his successor, promised elections within 60 days, but this pledge also failed.

Alfonso, despite the opposition of an estimated 70 per cent of his people, has kept his throne by the old Bourbon principle of "divide and rule." The weakness of his enemies has been in their disunion. To begin with, there are the Basques and Catalans. There are republicans and advocates of limited monarchy. There are unhappy intellectuals and disgruntled army men. And there are labor agitators and communists. Because of these varie-

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John B. Andrews, Secretary American Association for Labor Legislation, in Current History (Reprinted by Special Permission.)

MOST all industrial countries now recognize the need of systematically safeguarding working people against the major risks of modern industry. The principle of insurance—the thin-spreading of individual losses over a large group—is being applied by law. Under the wage earners' life a little less parsimonious in civilization which makes unemployment a constant menace, sickness a financial headache and old age an early and all-too-frequent calamity.

In the United States, owing in part to our later industrial development, the social insurance movement was begun more recently than in other countries; but once started, it has progressed rapidly. Today America is in the midst of this world-wide movement.

Compulsory workmen's accident insurance has been enacted in 42 states. Mother's pension legislation is almost universal. State after state is adopting old-age pensions. Proposals for unemployment insurance, now widely regarded as an immediately desirable step to encourage stabilization as well as to encourage against pauperization, are being prepared for introduction with strong support in many legislatures. Increasing public concern over the mounting costs of medical care is causing a growing number of people to look to sickness insurance as a necessary solution.

Social insurance legislation was inaugurated in the United States 20 years ago, when the first compulsory accident compensation law was enacted. Up to that time, an injured worker on his own resources had the sole recourse at law of suing the employer for damages. At present upward of 17,000,000 workers are included in the scope of the \$1 compensation system.

Great progress has been made since 1911 in establishment of mothers' pensions, whereby protection is extended to widows and orphans left helpless by the premature death of husband or father. It is estimated that approximately 200,000 children at this moment enjoy the benefit of these laws, which now provide yearly about \$30,000,000 in family relief.

Just as the burden of accidents has been shifted from the individual sufferer and the charities to the industry which failed to provide safe working conditions, so the burden due to industry's failure to provide regular employment should be borne by a similar system of insurance. The necessity for providing this security for the worker will stimulate more continuous consideration of methods of stabilizing employment, just as

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JOHN G. NEIHARDT

### As From a Height of Time

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The statement takes the form of a dialogue between one Philalethes, a modern young man, and Plato in the Elysian Fields. The ancient philosopher has been asleep, or at least unconscious of our world, for more than 2000 years, and he rightly thanks the young seeker after truth for recalling him to the consciousness of the old perplexities, especially since it soon becomes painfully evident that time has served only to increase them. But once awakened, Plato is quite of his ancient self, and as a result of his questioning and comment, the vital pattern of the modern world is developed slowly and clearly, with no distortions of class interest or custom.

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### THE RAMAYAN OF TULSIDAS.

By J. M. Macfie, M. A., Ph. D. (T. & T. Clark, 38 George Street, Edinburgh, Scotland.)

Tulsiadas, author of the great Hindu religious poem here interpreted for Western readers by a distinguished scholar, was born in 1574. It is said that his name is "a household word" among the peoples of Northern India, where his tales of world action are regarded as the Bible is supposed to be in the Western World. His whole life seems to have been devoted to the worship of Rama, whom he conceived as exemplifying that all-embracing love which the West attributes to Jesus. When past 40 he began the composition of his great poem, basing it upon the Sanskrit epic, the Ramayana of Valmiki, composed about a thousand years before; but while following the order of events in the ancient epic, he wrote his own spirit of love into the story of his hero, thus transforming the whole with a new teaching. The correct title of his poem, "Ramacharitmanas," meaning "the lake of the deeds of Rama," but is commonly referred to as the Ramayana of Tulsiadas.

Plato: See how the whole universe is peopled with crowds of spirits!

Philalethes: O Plato, what are you saying?

Pl: What? Do you suppose that, while your little planet pulsates and swarms with living creatures, among which you men move like trees, spars and disconnected from all your crowding, while they without ceasing flow around and over and within you, an ocean of perpetual generation—do you suppose that nowhere else in the vast expanse of infinity, is anything at all that is alive?

Pl: We think it likely that our planet alone has the elements and temperature and the gravity and where life is possible.

Pl: Say rather wherein and whereby bodies like yours could come into being and endure. But you conceive, you little men, that the subtle fire-life can inhabit no other intuitions than

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STOP CHASING JOBS

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Steady work, good income, 22-

40; and with \$200 down, no

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No extra cost, your total cost; learn

with R. G. Thompson; 10 years, without

an accident. Government interview

Forest 3257 for particulars.

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WEATHERSTRIPPING

METAL WEATHERSTRIPPING—\$1.50

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PUPPIES—All breeds. Haller's Bird

Store, 817 N. 6th, Central 4300. (es)

SALESWOMEN WANTED

FOR SALE—WANTED

OIL BURNER

SALES

To work part time in the sales dept. and

the office, the outside, up to 10 a. m.

COMPETITION on the market will be

overcome by our sales force.

SALESWOMEN—Over 27, refinement and

personal qualifications, permanent

employment. Apply 7287. (es)

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WALL PAPER CLEANING, ETC.

GUARANTEED papering, \$2 room, including

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ALTERATIONS, garages, porches, repairs;

cheap during February. Franklin 6813 (es)

CARPENTER—All new and repair: complete

special service prices. Forest 2384 (es)

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FLOORS resurfaced, refinished, 2-ton floor

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COAL, COKE AND WOOD

EMPIRE COAL JEFF. 2718-19

2 1/2 to 8 tons ..... \$4.00

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One ton ..... \$4.50

Buy Nut Coal ..... \$3.00

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COAL \$3.50 PER

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2-ton loads \$3.50; 5-ton ..... \$4.00

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Illinoian Screened Lump or Egg.

Century Coal Co. Grand 2312 (es)

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"WARM FRIEND COAL"

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LUM. \$4.00; EGG. \$4.25;

Call Grand 1166. Open 10 a. m. (es)

GUARANTEED COAL

Burns to white ash, lump \$4.75; any

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CAMPBELL'S CLEAN COAL

Screened lump, no mineral, one ton, \$4.25;

2-ton, \$8; 4-ton, \$4.50; 5-ton, \$5.00;

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PULLMAN, GARFIELD 6661

Standard, large lump ..... \$4.50

Franklin Co. lump or egg. (es)

BUY GOOD COAL IT'S CHEAPER

This is not believeable. Grand 1166 (es)

Two tons \$4.60; no del. McElroy 6471 (es)

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## MIXED CHANGES IN LOCAL STOCKS AT START OF WEEK

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE, Feb. 16.—Key Boiler Equipment sold lower at the initial session of the week on the local board. International Shoe closed one-half point lower after selling at a point lower after selling at unchanged price.

Hamilton-Brown was unchanged at 181.

Southwestern Bell proffered was unchanged to 1/4 lower. National Candy sold higher. Consolidated Lead was a shade higher.

### Local Business and Financial Items

(Paragraphs for publication in this column should be addressed to the Financial Editor.)

Frank K. Harris, president of the Savings Association of St. Louis, Clearing House Bank, and several other St. Louisans will attend the meeting of the Extension Committee of the Financial Advertisers Association at New York. Some of the members of this committee will also attend the annual midwinter conference of the Trust Division of the American Bankers Association.

Alex Berger and Henry J. Cohn have formed the Berger-Cohn & Co., located in the Landreth Building. Mr. Berger, before coming to St. Louis five years ago was president of a bank in Jonesboro, Ark. Cohn has a local firm for the past three years.

### Wall Street News and Comment

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. sales for the five weeks ended Jan. 31, declined \$6,712,109 from the like period of 1929 to \$9,555,824.

Tonnage sales, however, increased 17,996 tons to a total of 510,421 tons. The statement by the company said that although dollar sales were smaller, due to the continued decline in retail food prices, the actual quantity of goods sold in January showed a gain of 3.6 per cent over the same period of 1929.

"In fact," the statement said, "more goods were sold in January of this year than in any other January in the history of the company."

Forty-nine chain store companies, including their mail-order concerns, showed total sales for January of \$18,111,117, a decrease of 2.84 per cent from figures for the like month of 1929, a compilation by Merrill, Lynch & Co. showed. Excluding their mail order companies, 45 chain store companies showed sales of \$145,914,381, an increase of .09 per cent. Forty-three of the chain store companies which reported sales for January, 1929 to 1930, inclusive, showed an increase of 11.77 per cent last month over the corresponding month of 1929.

### CORPORATION REPORTS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—American Can Co. for 1929 had not income of \$22,833,940, equal to \$0.83 a share on the common, compared with \$22,724,802, a share in 1929.

The Vulcan Detering Co. for 1930 had net profit of \$335,734, equal to \$6.12 a share on the common, against \$16,696, or \$4.15 a share on the combined common and Class "A" common in 1929.

The J. C. Penney Co. for 1930 reported net profit available for common stock dividends amounted to \$7,089,832, equal to \$2.88 a share on the outstanding non-par common stock, compared with \$1,279,864, or \$4.66 a share on the common for 1929. The report pointed out that gross sales for 1930 were \$19,243,765, compared with \$20,690,417 for 1929, and that "in the face of the marked decline in commodity prices, the small decline in gross sales for the year would indicate that volume of sales by units of merchandise increased."

The report of the General Banking Co., controlled by General Banking Corporation, for the year ended Dec. 27, 1930, showed net profit of \$5,165,981, compared with \$7,239,221 in the previous year.

Bigelow-Sanford Carpet Co. reported for 1930 a net loss of \$701, against net profit equal to \$6.66 a common share in 1929.

American Metal Co. Ltd., for 1930 had net income of \$1,827,578, compared with \$3,252,879 in 1929.

Bridge-Stratton Corporation for the year ended Dec. 31 had net profit of \$82,352, equal to \$2.94 a share, compared with \$1,449,018, or \$4.49 a share in 1929. Stephen F. Briggs, president, said operations now are at a substantially higher level than in the latter part of 1930, that prospects are for better earnings in the first quarter than in the final quarter of 1930.

Continental Steel Corporation reports net loss of \$37,908 for 1930. In 1929 the company had net profit of \$332,030, equal to \$4.01 a common share.

New Pender Grocery Co. had net income of \$40,741 last year, against \$227,715 in 1929.

General Gas and Electric Corporation reported for 1930 net income of \$7,575,028, compared with \$6,127,209 for the previous year.

## NEW YORK BOND MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Bond sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were \$3,800,000, compared with \$5,500,000 Saturday, a week ago and \$2,750,000 a year ago. Total bond sales last year were \$380,000,000, compared with \$325,937,000 quoted on all Liberty bonds are in dollars and thirty-seconds of a dollar. That is, for instance, a sale printed 99-24 means \$99 and 24 thirty-seconds of a dollar, and not \$99.24.

Following is a complete list of bonds traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today, giving sales, highest, lowest and closing prices. In sales, 000 omitted:

NEGLIGENCE. (Sales, High, Low, Close)

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Chicago Cabaret Hostess Shot.  
By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Miss Valene Erwin, 22 years old, a cabaret hostess, was shot early yesterday outside a North Side night club by an unidentified man in evening clothes, climaxing an argument as to whether he or her escort, H. L. Goodwin Jr., wealthy Morris, Ill., youth, was to take her home. Her assailant escaped in a taxicab and Goodwin took the girl to a hospital, where it was found that she had been shot in the foot.

Manahan's Are Changing the Buying Habits of a Great City

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5701-03 DELMAR (CABANE WAY) TWO STORES

MAPLEWOOD STORE  
NEW BROWNSON HOTEL  
Corner Yale and Manchester City Limits Loop  
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We lead the field in Fancy Table Eggs, Poultry and high-grade dairy products received daily direct from the famous "Meramec Spring Country" in the "Heart of the Ozarks." Hanrahan Stores originated in the heart of the Famous Ozark Poultry and Dairy section. We operate stores in the key towns of the district, at 5701-03 St. Louis, Maplewood, and Over-the-Rhine. Maplewood stores are supplied daily with the very cream of production from this Famous Poultry Territory.

SALE MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

**1000 Doz. Fresh Eggs**  
Strictly fresh from Ozark Poultry Farms will be featured at Hanrahan's Monday and Tuesday. **DOZ. 15c**  
One Dozen Limit to a Customer

Finest Fruit and Vegetable Market in Greater St. Louis.

**POTATOES**  
A whole carload of Idaho Russets will be featured Monday and Tuesday at Hanrahan's, at the lowest 10 Lbs. for **12 1/2c** (20 pound limit)

**FINEST FRESH MEATS!**  
PORTERHOUSE STEAK Out from Finest Baby Beef lb. **23c**

SIRLOIN T-BONE ROAST Juicy Tender lb. **12 1/2c** Savory

We operate one of the finest fish markets in Greater St. Louis.

**FISH** FRESH LAKE HERRING, 10c  
FRESH SPANISH MACKEREL, 10c  
SUPERIOR LAKE SALTY MACKEREL, EACH 10c

**BUTTER** OLD JUDGE OR DINING CAR COFFEE \$1  
Meramec Springs Pure Creamery 3 Lbs. Biggest Coffee Value in Greater St. Louis. **25c**

PET, CARNATION, WILSON'S MILK 2 Cans **15c**

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2 STORES DOWNTOWN  
People of today are buying where their dollar goes farthest. That's why business is good at both our stores.  
NORTHWEST CORNER BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.  
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FR. HERRING WHITE PERCH lb **12 1/2**  
DR. BUFFALO

JUMBO SHRIMP lb. 30 3 ROLLED HERRING 10

10 SALMON **10**  
Alaska Pink Chin. Thin of it! A pound of fish in each Tall Can

STEAKS Cut from quality beef that brings you back for more. lb. **16**  
ROUND-RIB-TENDERLOIN . . .

2 DOZEN EGGS **25** BOILING BEEF Fresh lb. **9**  
Guaranteed in Cartons

POTATOES Choice Red Triumphant 10 lbs. **17**  
Hamburger FRESH GROUND, 100% PORK  
PORK CHOPS Rib or Loin Pound. **10** lb. **10**

SMOKED HAMS  
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17 1/2 POUND Half or Whole

LIBBY'S MILK 4 Tall Cans **25**  
NECK BONES 3 lbs. **10**

PIGS FEET 1/2 lb. **12**  
HOG MELTS NEW KRAUT

1/2 lb. **12**

## HOMES OF HEIRESS AND HER LAWYER RAIDED

U. S. Narcotic Agents Said to Have Seized Secret Code in Divorce Case at Chicago.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Raids were made by Federal narcotic agents on the Chicago apartments of W. Perkins Bull, wealthy Canadian barrister of Toronto and London, and Mrs. Margaret Horlick Sidley, heiress of the Sidley Gold Coast district, last Friday, it was said.

Bull's attorney said he had been informed that papers seized constituted a secret code for use between Bull and Mrs. Sidley in connection with a divorce suit against her husband, Dr. John Streeter Sidley.

Bull and Mrs. Sidley, who is the daughter of William H. Horlick, the mated milk manufacturer, were questioned at the District Attorney's office for six hours by the agents. After the officers had entered their apartments, presumably trying to trace the ramifications of an alleged narcotic smuggling ring.

Detective Agency Head Questioned.

J. J. Harrison, head of a private detective agency, also was questioned. All of them were released, and the Chicago Tribune says the agents admitted they had no evidence. At the same time, John E. Kehoe, attorney for Bull and Mrs. Sidley, representing Harrison, characterized the whole affair as a "mistake." Local Government officials said they knew nothing of the affair or of the impounding of private papers belonging to Bull and Mrs. Sidley.

The action by the narcotic agents is understood to have taken with the co-operation of Canadian authorities. Attorney Kehoe said his information was that the Government had mistaken the secret divorce suit code as having some connection with smuggling. He added there was "absolutely no basis for the seizure of Mr. Bull or his papers."

Dr. Sidley formerly was treasurer of the Horlick Co. He recently filed a \$250,000 damage suit against Bull and Harrison, charging continual shadowing of him by agents of Bull had undermined his health. He was unable to explain, he said, why Bull had taken an interest in his movements. Subsequently, he also filed a petition for an injunction to compel Bull to call off the detectives.

Search Made Without Warrants.

Describing the agents' visit to Bull's apartment, Attorney Kehoe said:

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## NEW DEAN BEGINS PASTORATE AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

The Rev. Sidney E. Sweet Preaches Opened Services at Central Presbyterian.

The Rev. Sidney E. Sweet, new dean of Christ Church Cathedral, preached his opening sermon in the Cathedral pulpit Sunday. He was introduced by his predecessor, Bishop Conductor William Scarlett. "I hope," the new dean said to the congregation, "that we may strive together to find the way and to know the truth."

The Rev. Theodore S. Smylie was installed as pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, meeting temporarily at 6911 Delmar Boulevard. He preached on "A Soul-Saving Program." The church is building a new house of worship in Clayton.

Avalanche Hits Skiers: One Killed, GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, Germany, Feb. 16.—One man lost his life and four others were injured yesterday after they were buried in an avalanche while skiing. Hans Becker was dead.

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

## MAYOR AND FIELD "PEACH OF A PAIR," NEUN DECLARES

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campaign Saturday night, that his candidacy was in response to a demand of civic organizations and business men for a leader, Neun said: "This necessarily must be a terrible slap at Mayor Field; Field should have got busy when he first heard the call to make the Mayor and himself leaders and should not have waited until he began to run for office."

In answer to Field's innuendo that Neun had been lacking in leadership, Neun said he had always taken the lead in matters of progress. In this connection he mentioned his activity in the discussion of the exchange of uses of Municipal and Eads bridges, which had resulted successfully, and the fact that he had approved, as acting Mayor, the ordinance which located the new County Courthouse on Memorial Plaza.

Neun declared his opposition to the pending ordinance for a 5 per

cent amusement tax for support of municipal hospitals and institutions.

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Neun, who has been head of the

Board of Aldermen for eight years.

He was born in St. Louis, and began his public career by activity in school patrons' organizations. Then he was an Assistant Circuit Attorney, and in 1918 was elected to the unexpired term as a Circuit Judge. In 1922 he was elected to his present position, which pays \$3000 a year.

Prison for Bomb Plot.

By Associated Press.

WARSAW, Poland, Feb. 16.—The trial of five Socialists charged with plotting to kill Marshal Pilsudski with a bomb last October, was sentenced today to one year in prison. The others were acquitted.

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At the first sign of a cold, get McKesson's Darrow on the job. It's a new-type treatment that acts doubly fast and effectively—and without any bad effects on stomach. Checks a cold in 6 hours! Leaves you with no half-cured cold as do old-fashioned remedies. Tends to change the system from an acid condition to alkaline condition, in which cold and grippe germs do not thrive. Equally effective for headaches, pains of muscles and nerves, etc. Safe for all. Darrow is more than a remedy. Measures. Adopt Science, latest treatments. All McKesson Service Drug Stores. A McKesson Darrow on guarantees of satisfaction or money back. A McKesson & Robins' product.

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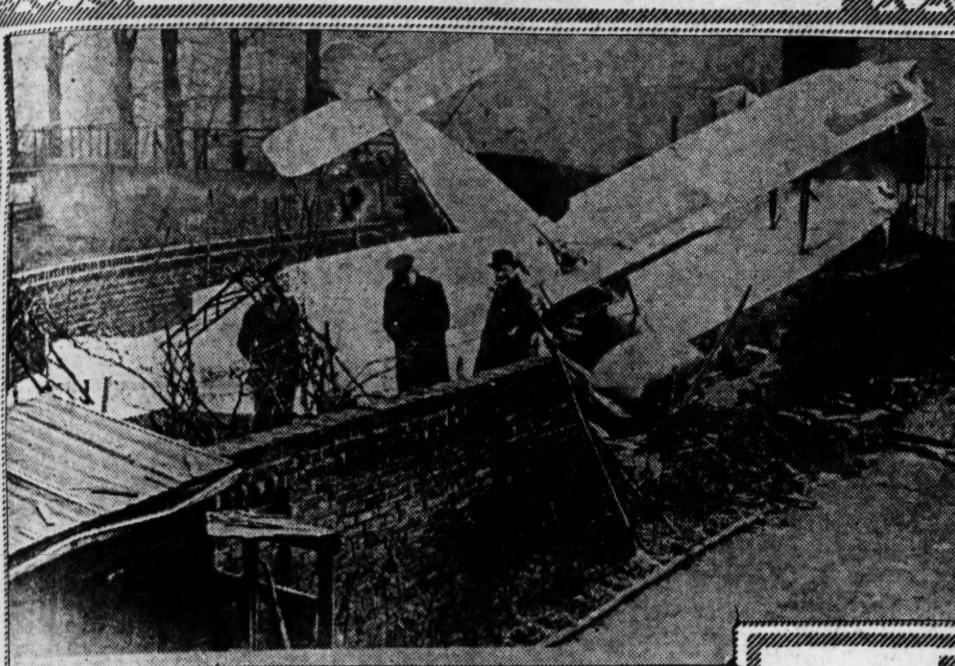
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## CRASHING THE GATE IN A NEW WAY



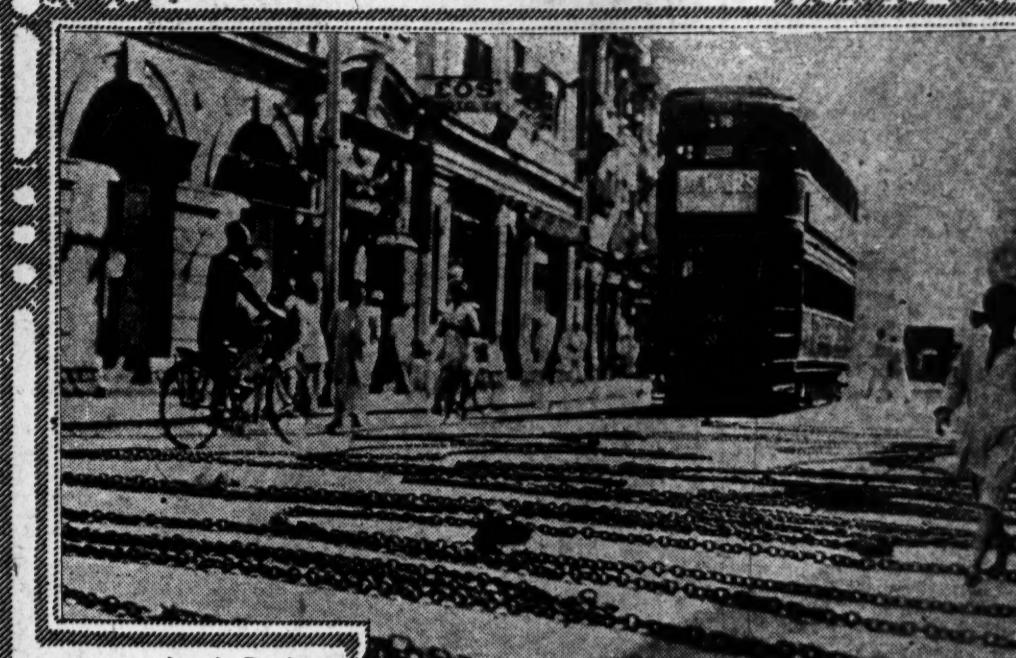
Pilot and camera man, flying over Brixton, England, had to make a forced landing and chose the country home of Mr. Anthony Asquith for an unexpected visit, with this result.

## REFUSED \$400,000 FOR IT



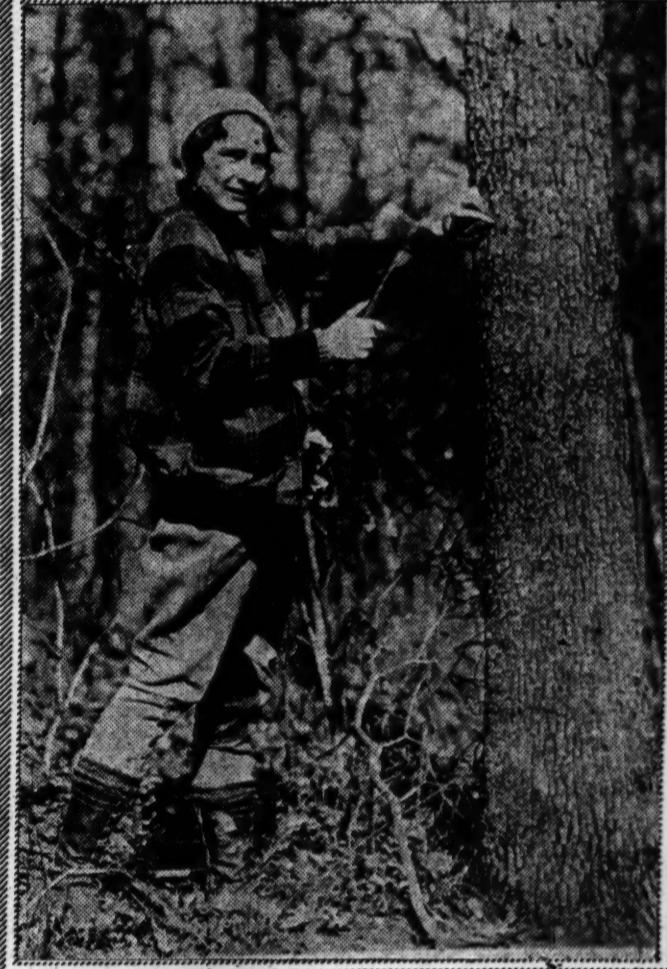
Painting by Sir Thomas Lawrence, "Master Lambton," generally known as "the red boy" for which Jules Bache of New York offered \$400,000 without getting an acceptance from the English owners.

## A NEW WAY TO BLOCK TRAFFIC



Infuriated natives in Bombay placed these heavy chains across the street car tracks as protest against execution of the Sholapur convicts.

## FIRST LADY OF THE FOREST SERVICE



## EDISON ON 84TH BIRTHDAY



The famous inventor at Fort Myers, Fla., chatting with his old friend, Harvey S. Firestone.



## FROM DISHWASHER TO STARDOM

Six months ago Angel Soto was working in the kitchen of a New York lodging house, singing at his tasks. An impresario heard about him, and now there is a new voice on the concert stage in the East.

## CHINESE GIRL LITERARY SUCCESS



## BOWLING ON THE GREEN

School girls taking part in tournament in public park, Pasadena, Cal.



## CHINESE SHRINE SHOWN IN ST. LOUIS

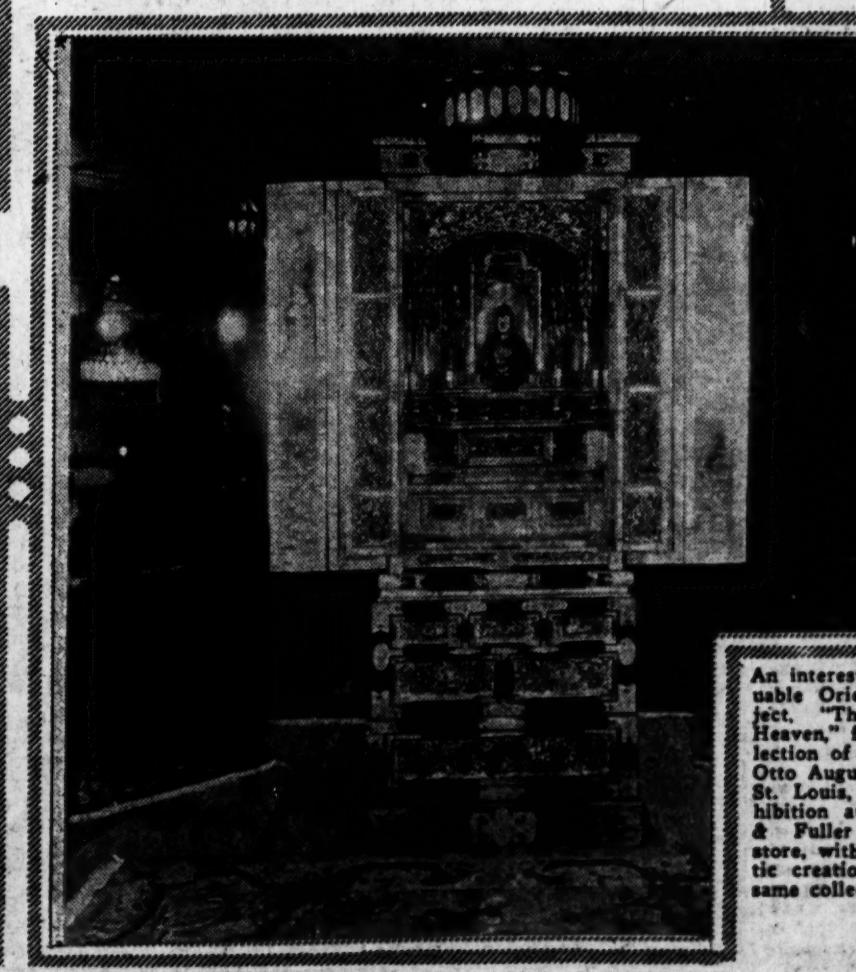
Another "Safety Plane" This craft, now being demonstrated at North Beach, L. I., is said to be incapable of nose dives or tail spins. With engine shut off, and waving both hands aloft, the pilot brought it to earth at less than 30 miles an hour.

## CHALLENGES SHAW TO DEBATE



## PLAYING 200 CHESS GAMES AT ONCE

Jose R. Capablanca of Havana, meeting in simultaneous contest experts from 50 American clubs. The exhibition was staged in the Seventh Regiment Armory, New York.



An interesting and valuable Oriental art object, "The Gate of Heaven" from the collection of the late Dr. Otto Augustus Wall of St. Louis, now on exhibition at Stix, Baer & Fuller department store, with other artistic creations from the same collection.

Georges Hackenschmidt, the famous wrestler of other days, now a lecturer, who wants to argue out with the English dramatist some of his pet beliefs.



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## A PIECE OF HER MIND

By ELSIE McCORMICK

Earrings for Men  
T HE suggestion that earrings for men be encouraged as a fashion, made recently by a masculine contributor, has given rise to many caustic and other sounds of derision.

Asked that a fellow townsmen of mine should make such a suggestion," writes Charles W. Leonard of Macon, Ga., "Yet there is in your column I read, 'Won't you see if you can't do something toward encouraging the fashion of earrings for men?'

"A man with earrings! Oh, mamma, I'm to be Queen of the May! Please don't set your stamp of approval on the idea. Your column is read by too many men and it's mighty easy to start something. Must I give you a piece of my mind?"

The ladies, however, are much more kindly disposed toward the suggestion.

"Why should men not wear earrings if they want to?" writes A German Girl. "I cannot find any good reason against it. In my native country it is in many sections a respected custom. If my mother are three boys and two girls and every one is an earring."

"Here are we heroes, but they are afraid to wear these ornaments. I know lots of my countrymen who wore earrings at home, but when they came to this country the first thing they did was to remove them. And why? Only to make the impression that they were 100 per cent Americans. Even my brother did so two years ago, when he landed, and he had worn them for 16 years."

"If you would only watch the ears of men, you'd be surprised to find how many have been pierced. Plenty!"

"Men, gather up your courage, have your earlobes pierced—it is not painful—and start to wear earrings. During the first days perhaps some people will look at you, but you will soon get over that. A few weeks ago, when my brother visited me in Boston, I took him out and put my earrings in his ears. Very, very few people noticed them."

"Many girls would like to see you looking a little more decorative. Besides, in wearing earrings there is absolutely nothing unnatural."

"If American men want to wear earrings, we American women would be unforgivably selfish if we did not permit them to do so," writes M. V. M.

"HOW generously men have shared with us. In the matter of smoking, for instance, they have given us the liberty to squander our income or cigarettes and to waste hours of our fleeting years trying to make our stubborn smoke ring go through the mouth."

"Let us put earrings in male ears, and then sit back and listen to the brittle sound of friendship strained to the cracking point."

"Perhaps man's eagerness to wear earrings is due to the naive assumption that the gesture is nothing more than screwing an ornament in each ear, putting on a hat and elegantly going forth into the world. It is only just that we explain to men, as gently as possible, the psychological difficulties of ear accommodation."

"Those on a certain summer afternoon I am walking down the avenue. Absent-minded fool that I am, I have selected the sunny side. Assailed by the sun and by a torrid, dust-laden breeze, I immediately begin to think of the desert, camel caravans and tombs of ancient kings. I wonder how mummies would feel about blazing New York summer. Before I know what has happened we have become a stunning Egyptian princess out shopping."

"With this delusion upon me, I stop to buy a pair of Egyptian earrings. I put them on and continue my now seductive way downtown. The centuries have left my beauty unimpaired; in fact, I tell myself complacently that a few centuries have given me the edge on any woman in the realm of mystery and allure."

"Unfortunately I meet a friend. She is so warped by this mechanistic age that she doesn't realize she is talking to the princess whose unattainable beauty made such a noise of Egyptian history."

"MY inscrutable, other-world eyes, my disconcerting air of knowing things that had better be left unsaid, my royal hauteur, my priceless jewels—all are unperceived by this dashing young modern. She looks at me with embarrassing directness."

"In Heaven's name," she whoops, "what's the idea of the dandies?" They're Egyptian," I mutter sheepishly.

"Uh-huh. They certainly look swell. You look like an Egyptian from County Kerry. The only earrings you could get away with would be little gold harps. Now I, for instance, am just the type for those subtle Egyptian things."

"Sullenly I remove the earrings and go down the street—a fuming, defeated, lonely woman whom no one understands."

"There are too many such painful incidents. Until our desire to conform to our fluctuating moods earrings will serve to arouse the suspicion that we (a) are going to a masquerade; (b) have never looked in a mirror; (c) don't know how to dress; or (d) are going slightly daft."

Personally I would not object to this proposed style, as it would not offend Mollie the Maltese. Mollie, it has been, is very fond of earrings. When she appears who is wearing them she perches on the back of the chair and shakes the ornament alternately with all the skill of a Swiss bell-ringer."

## Angora Cloth for Sport Wear



Some of the varied ways in which angora cloth is used to make the smart dress or suit of the day.

By  
Ann  
Roberts

though they would gain rather than decline in popularity.

Some women buy several of them at one shopping bout, for the different colors are fascinating and they present the greatest temptation for laying in a supply so that the colors can be varied from day to day.

These angoras—rabbit hair materials as they are also called—make quite a variety of pale, ashy colors, pink and bluish yellows and greens, as well as in the more solid colors the blacks are particularly good. You can find them now in stripes and plaids, which combine perfectly with those of plain surfaces.

There are two kinds of angora—the soft, smooth surfaced sort and the one that is rougher with a nubby look to them. Both are popular. Both appear to have caught the favor of women who are noted for dressing smartly in angora, following the particular trend of style which has everything its own way right now.

### Coffee Blanc Mange

Heat two cups of milk and two cups of strong coffee in the double boiler. When at boiling point add one cup sugar, one teaspoon vanilla. Cook in double boiler until slightly thickened, adding vanilla after removing from fire. Pour into a pitcher and chill. Serve smooth. Remove from fire and add two stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Pour into a large dish and chill. Make a custard sauce of one quart milk, two egg yolks, three-quarter cup sugar and one teaspoon vanilla. Cook in double boiler until slightly thickened, adding vanilla after removing from fire. Pour sauce into a pitcher and chill. Serve smooth. Remove from fire and add two stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Pour into a large dish and chill. Make a custard sauce of one quart milk, two egg yolks, three-quarter cup sugar and one teaspoon vanilla. Cook in double boiler until slightly thickened, adding vanilla after removing from fire. Pour sauce into a pitcher and chill. Serve smooth. 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## HEALTH

Brief articles prepared by experts. Edited by Dr. Isidor Goldston, for the New York Academy of Medicine.

## Humidity

In recently conducted studies it has been found that temperature, humidity and air movement are the three most important factors in ventilation.

In summer time only one of these items may be controlled, as it is possible by means of a fan to keep the air moving.

Temperature, as Mark Twain observed about the weather, can be talked about but not readily influenced, though engineers promise us within a short time homespun refrigerating plants which will cool our homes in summer.

In winter, however, practically all the important factors in ventilation can be easily controlled. Temperature may be regulated by proper control of the heating system, adequate ventilation may be secured by opening the windows, and moisture or humidity may be regulated by exposing water to the inside air.

Excessively dry air irritates the respiratory tract. It interferes with the protective functions of the mucous lining of the nose, throat and lungs by withdrawing moisture from the mucous secretions and producing a condition similar to dry asthma.

Rooms kept too warm and too dry are prone to be dusty and this adds to the irritation. This is particularly likely to be the case in homes heated by means of dry heat, that is by hot air, steam or hot water radiators.

Excessive dryness of the air may be avoided by allowing a sufficient quantity of outdoor air to enter the home. Many radiators have humidifiers attached to them. These humidifiers ordinarily consist of metal containers which may be filled with water.

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## ON THE AIR TONIGHT

Two movements from Saint-Saëns Second Symphony will be played by the Black and Gold Room Orchestra at 5:05 o'clock over KSD. Program details: Slavonic Dance, No. 10, "Dyrok John," "Folks Overland," "The Schindler," "Two movements from Saint-Saëns' Third Symphony," "Meyer-Holm-Damroth," "Sambo's Holiday," "Cossack Revival," "Tales from the Vienna Woods," "Strauss' Ein' Feste Jäger" is to speak at 6:30 over KSD.

Religious music will dominate the Mormon Tabernacle concert at 5:15 over KWK. The program follows: Reverently and Mekely, "Blessing," "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," "Frank W. Asper organist," "Stars of the Summer Night," "Woodbury, Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," "Waited for the Lord," "Mendelssohn Chor."

Amos and Andy will be on WLW at 6 o'clock.

Phil Cook will give a Quaker program at 6:30 over KWK.

Evangeline Adams, Forhan's astrologer, is scheduled at 6:30 over KMOX.

Tony Caboch is to visit George Washington's tomb, in tonight's Anheuser Busch broadcast at 6:45 over KMOX.

KSD is to broadcast a "How's Business" talk by Merle Thorpe at 7 o'clock.

Lowell Thomas will talk on current events at 7 o'clock over KMOX.

An "In the Nation's Capital" broadcast may be heard at 7:15 over KSD.

A Barbasol program, featuring Vernon Dalhart, is set for 7:15 over KMOX.

The A. and P. Gypsies will play at 7:30 over KSD.

Semi-classical and popular music will alternate on a program by Luden's Novelty Orchestra at 7:30 over KWK. The program follows:

Radecky March ..... Strauss  
I'm Happy When You're Happy ..... Raer  
Ta Ta Ta ..... Orchestra  
Reaching for the Moon ..... Berlin  
A Frenches ..... Cossac  
My Idea ..... Whiting  
Napolian Nights ..... Zemlinsky  
Happy Days Are Here Again ..... Ager  
I Hate to Lose You ..... Hanley  
Jacobs  
Orchestra.

A Savine Tones Pictures broadcast is set for 7:30 over KMOX.

Earle Spicer, baritone, will sing in a Maytag Orchestra broadcast at 8 o'clock over KWK.

Popular tunes will be played and sung by The Three Bakers and Leo Reisman's orchestra during a Fleischmann program at 8 o'clock over KMOX. The program: "Sweet and Hot," "You Said It," "Reaching for the Moon," "Big Top," "Lucky Seven," and "My Love for You."

The usual General Motors concert may be tuned in at 8:30 over KSD.

A Real Folks program is scheduled for 8:30 over KWK.

A talk on spring styles may be heard during an Evening in Paris broadcast at 8:30 over KMOX. The musical program:

"If I Were You, Love," "You're An Angel," "Little Bit," "Give Me Something to Remember You By," "Want," "Reaching for the Moon," "I'm a Little Bit," "Personally I Love You," and "C'mere."

"Sinfonie," from Bach's "Sonata in E Flat," will be featured in a Stromberg-Carlson concert over KWK at 9 o'clock. The program: The Corsair, overture ..... Berlin  
Schillene ..... Bach  
Arioso ..... Verdi  
From La Traviata, soprano, Bohemian Dance ..... Bluet

Guy Lombardo and his orchestra will play over KMOX in a Robert Burns broadcast from 9 to 9:30. The program includes: "Hello Beautiful," "Heartsaches," "Cry, Cry for Me," "I'm Again," and "Lady Play Your Mandolin."

An Empire Builder's drama is to begin at 9:30 on KWK. Joseph Koestner's orchestra will play.

Hal Kemp's orchestra may be heard at 10 o'clock over KSD.

Amos and Andy will be on KWK at 10 o'clock.

Morton Downey and his orchestra will play at 10 o'clock over KMOX.

Dance music by the New Yorker orchestra may be heard at 10:30 over KSD.

Glen Brandy and his Coronado Hotel orchestra will play at 11 o'clock over KSD.

KSD will broadcast dance music by Phil Spitalny's orchestra at 11:30.

OUT-OF-TOWN STATIONS

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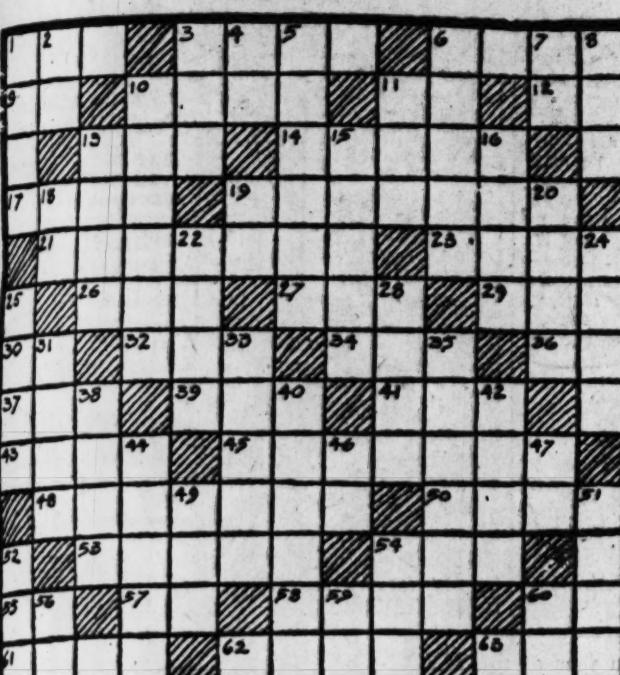
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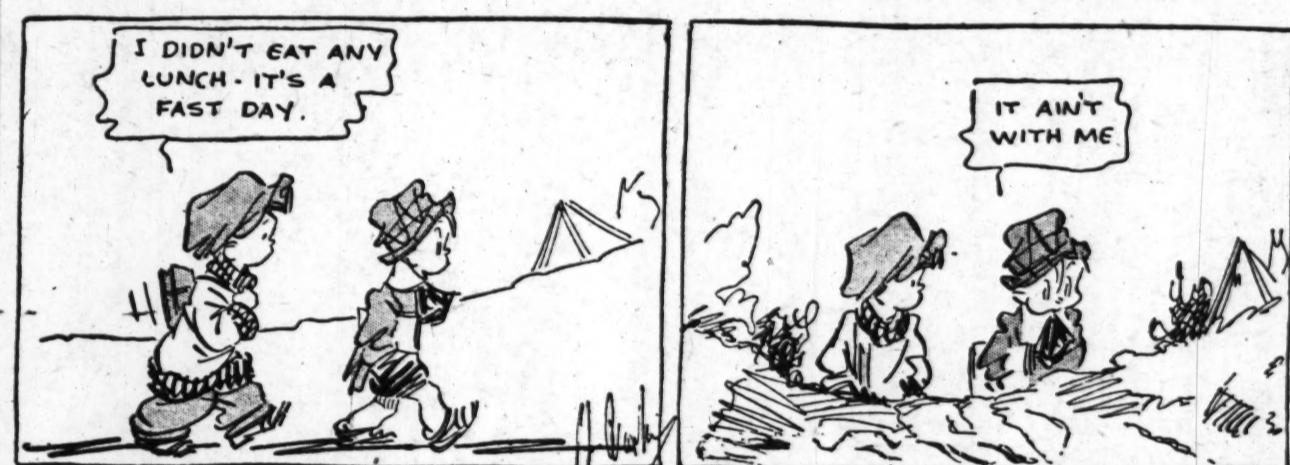


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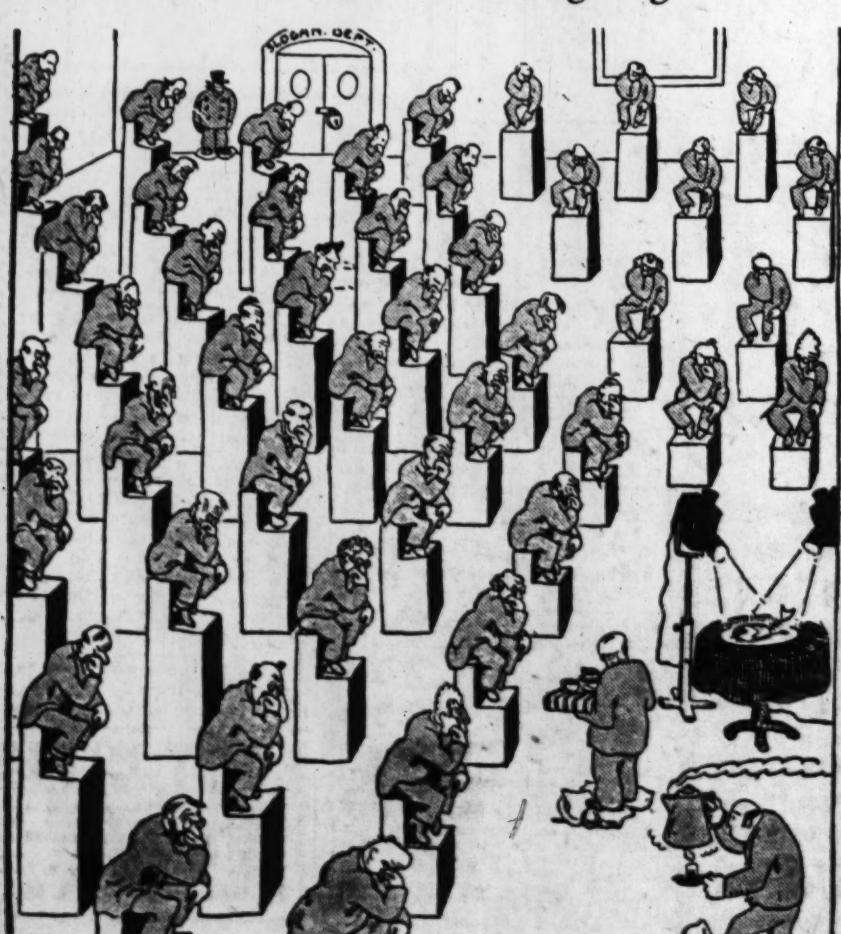


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DICTATORSHIP THREATENED IN SPAIN BY ARMY HEADS

ARTILLERY UNITS TRAIN CANON ON CAPITAL, CIVIL GUARDS MOBILIZED, MACHINE GUNS PLACED AT STRATEGIC POINTS.

COUP REVOLT IN CORDOVA REPORTED

MILITARY ACTIVITY FOLLOWS FAILURE OF SANCHEZ GUERRA TO FORM CABINET AND CALLING OF REFORMIST MELQUÍADES ALVAREZ.

ASSOCIATED PRESS, PARIS, Feb. 17.—The Madrid correspondent of the Havas Agency reported tonight that a military movement had broken out at Cordova, Spain, and that troops were sent to that city from Madrid.

ASSOCIATED PRESS, MADRID, Feb. 17.—A military movement, apparently intended to prompt the establishment of a military dictatorship began late this afternoon.

ASSOCIATED PRESS, MADRID, Feb. 17.—The Madrid unit of the long-range guns on the capital. Civil guards were mobilized. Machine guns were placed at strategic points and troops were in barracks in readiness for action.

ASSOCIATED PRESS, MADRID, Feb. 17.—A group of high army officers, headed because the King seemed to be yielding to the radical Left, are reported preparing to seize power and repeat the coup by which Primo d'Rivera seized the reins of government.

PERSISTENT reports were that Gen. Espolido Saro, former chief of the Royal Palace Guards, would be the new dictator.

GENERAL STRIKE REPORTED PLANNED. A general strike as a protest against the monarchy tonight was reported planned by Labor and Socialist leaders at a meeting here, would be so organized as to paralyze commercial and industrial activities. It was further reported that the leaders demanded immediate release of all prisoners as a result of the two abortive revolutionary attempts last December.

IF A MILITARY DICTATORSHIP IS RESTABLISHED, AS WAS THOUGHT LIKELY, IT WAS CONSIDERED AS TANTALIZING TO RETURN SPAIN TO MARTIAL LAW.

CENSORSHIP WAS ESTABLISHED TO ENSURE ANTONIO SANCHEZ GUERRA, designated by King Alfonso yesterday to get together a cabinet, went to the palace at noon today and informed the King that he had made no effort to obtain the collaboration of the Republicans and Socialists, radical Left groups, and could not have recourse to the task.

ALVAREZ APPEALS TO ACT. Jose Antonio Sanchez Guerra, who advised the King to call on Melquides Alvarez to the palace, but he refused to undertake to form a cabinet. Alvarez is an advocate of institutional revision, to limit the powers of the throne, and leader of the Reformist group of the Spanish conservative party. He is regarded as more radical than Sanchez Guerra, whose designation by the King yesterday was regarded by some as a surrender to the extremists.

IN THE MIDST OF THE CRISIS, KING ALFONSO TOOK ONE OF HIS FASTEST AUTOMOBILES AND DROVE ALONE AT BREAKNECK SPEED YESTERDAY TO THE RECOGNIZED PALACE TO PRAY AT THE TOMB OF HIS MOTHER. HE HAD INFORMED NO ONE OF HIS INTENTION, AND HIS ATTENDANTS AT THE MONASTERY WERE ASTONISHED WHEN HE ARRIVED. HE HURRIED TO THE UNDERGROUND CRYPT AND KNEELING AT THE TOMB, STAYED FOR 15 MINUTES. THEN HE DROVE BACK TO MADRID FOR CONFERENCE WITH THE POLITICIAN.

A LARGE MILITARY CLIQUE IS EXPRESSED DISMISSED WITH YESTERDAY'S EVENTS.

ONE CURRENT RUMOR WAS DEFINITELY DISPROVED. THE CORRESPONDENT VISITING THE MILITARY BASE AT JETAFI, WHERE ACCORDING TO RUMOR, THE ARTILLERY DETACHMENT HAD RISEN IN FAVOR OF THE KING, FOUND EVERYTHING QUITE.

SANCHEZ GUERRA'S PROGRAM. Sanchez Guerra failed to get together a Cabinet on what probably was the most liberal program a leader-designate has advanced since the days of the Spanish republic in the early '70s. Before accepting the King's invitation to lead a new Government to replace that of Gen. Damaso Berenguer, who resigned Saturday, he ex-

plained his program.

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